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## TYPHOON FORMS IN THE NIGHT CLOSE TO COLONY

APPARENTLY MOVING OUT OF RANGE

LACK OF DATA

According to official information from the Royal Observatory a typhoon of unknown intensity is situated about 200 miles to the south of Hongkong.

There was only the slightest indication of any disturbance last evening and the typhoon has apparently formed during the night. Its direction has not yet been ascertained, but it is believed to be moving W.N.W.

The barometer is steady at 29.62 and this is taken as an indication that the disturbance is not approaching the Colony at present and will probably not affect Hongkong to any great degree.

No. 1 local signal was hoisted this morning.

### U.S. LAWYER'S SUICIDE

DESPONDENT AFTER A DIVORCE

### SON OF SENATOR JOHNSON

Mr. Archibald Johnson, attorney, son of Senator Hiram Johnson, committed suicide last week with a pistol in the Johnson home at Hillsborough, fashionable residential district of Burlingame, California.

He left three notes. One explained his act as the result of despondency over the granting of a divorce last June in Reno to his former wife, Martha, on the grounds of mental cruelty.

His former wife was, at the time of the shooting, away on her second honeymoon with her husband, Commander Howard A. Flanagan, U.S.N.

The howling of a faithful dog caused a butler in the household to investigate and find the attorney's body, clad in pyjamas crumpled in the library.

Johnson had used a .45 automatic pistol which he carried as a major in the American Expeditionary Force.

Senator Johnson was in San Francisco when he heard the news of his son's act. Grief-stricken, he hastened home. Hillsborough is about 15 miles from San Francisco.

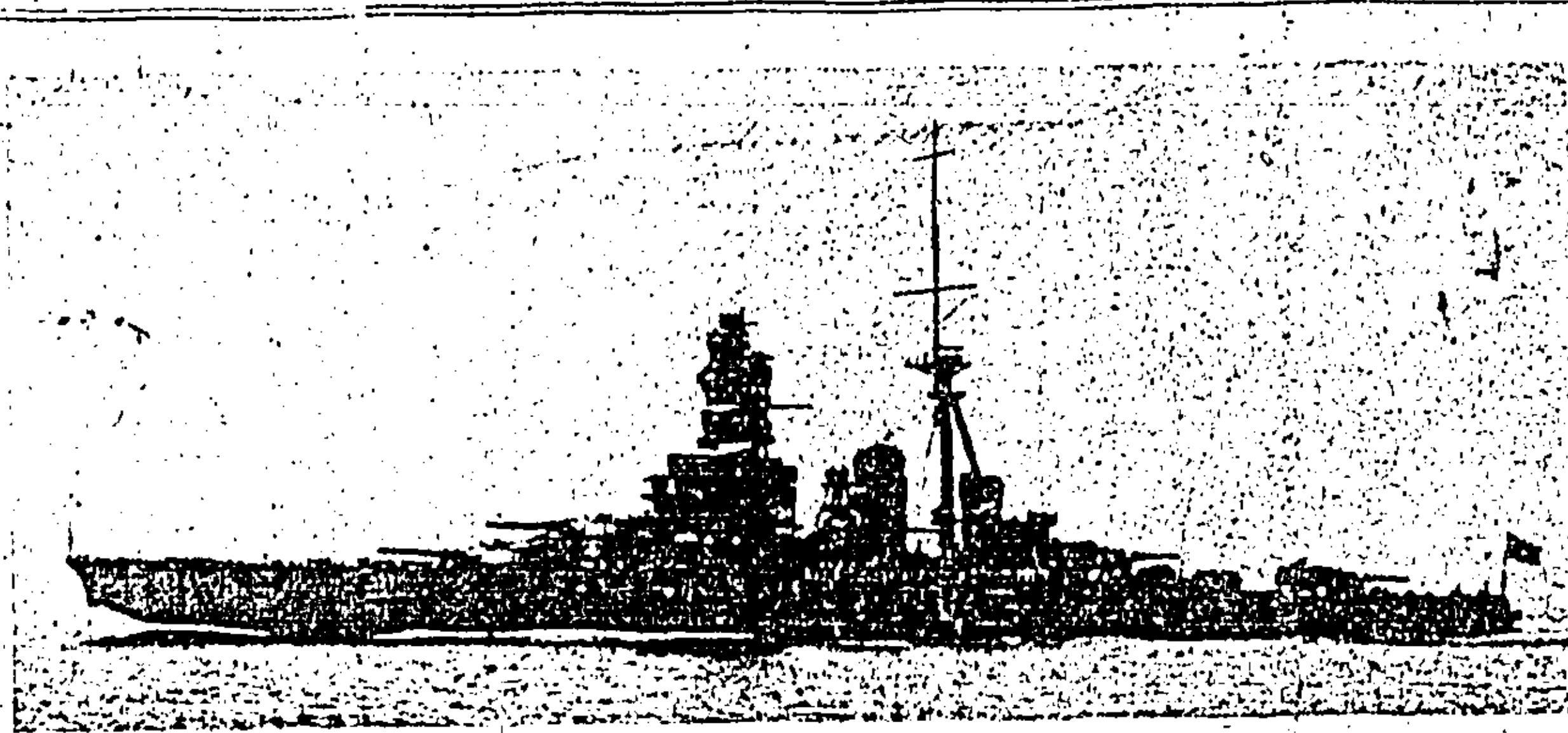
### CHINESE BATHING CLUB PETITION

Over Three Thousand Names Signed Yesterday

The seven Chinese bathing clubs in Tan-tze-mui started their campaign to secure sympathisers for their petition to the Hongkong Government asking for postponement of the resumption of the North Point beaches yesterday morning.

Over three thousand names were signed in the course of the day.

The P. and O. s.s. "Carthage", left Singapore for this Port on the 5th instant at noon with the outward English Mail, and is due here on Wednesday at about 8 a.m.



The Japanese dreadnought, Kongo, flagship of the "attacking fleet" in the Japanese naval manoeuvres.

### CUSTOMS INCIDENT

ARMY OFFICER'S THREATS

FORCE MAJEURE IN CANTON

The following incident, which occurred at the main Examination Station of the Chinese Maritime Customs at Canton on Friday morning serves to illustrate very clearly the difficulties of customs officers.

Incoming passengers to Canton are required to declare dutiable articles which they desire to import and the usual verification by search is made at the landing points by Customs Officers.

On the morning in question, a passenger from Hongkong was found to have thirteen watches concealed upon his person. The discovery took place at 7.30 a.m.

The man was escorted to the Main Examination building, that the matter might be fully investigated by higher-up officials as soon as the rush of incoming passengers had subsided.

Thirty minutes later, two men in the uniform of Army Officers, accompanied by two others in private's kit, appeared on the scene and demanded from the Chinese Tidewater the release of the watches and their carrier on the plea that the watches were military property.

The Chinese Tidewater at once sent word to his immediate superior officer, a foreigner, who in turn referred the matter to the Deputy Commissioner upon finding that the Military Officer's attitude was solely one of force majeure.

COMIC RELIEF.

The Deputy Commissioner sent down a message asking the name and rank of the Military Officer at the same time inviting him to come to his office and discuss the matter. The military reply was in keeping with the rest: "Tell the Deputy Commissioner that my name and rank are my own business and that I do not call on anybody".

The Deputy Commissioner at this stage—it was now 9.45—telephoned for Police assistance.

Comic relief was afforded at this juncture by the arrival outside the enclosure of the Tidewater's wife; the good woman feared for her man and proceeded to harangue all man and sundry in no measured terms, her flow of eloquence fully audible to the group on the other side of the partition whilst the crowd, which increased rapidly, made occasional applause.

REVOLVER DRAWN.

At 10.30 a.m., the Military Officer feeling no doubt that he had parleyed quite long enough, drew his revolver and announced his intention of arresting the Tidewater who had discovered the watches and gave the order to march, whereupon the Deputy Commissioner dispatched his foreign subordinate to rescue the Tidewater.

The price of peace was a foregone conclusion; the military passenger and watches left the Customs Compound and some twenty minutes after they were safely off the premises, the Police arrived by motorcar.

The episode is worthy of serious consideration by all who are interested in the ultimate welfare of China.

### JAPANESE NAVAL WAR GAMES

RESISTING "ATTACK BY U.S. NAVY"

BIG PROGRAMME

Emperor Hirohito has been spending hours every day in wireless reports from Japan's greatest battleships since, on Wednesday last week, over a hundred ships of the fleet roared into the war manoeuvres which are to culminate in a grand review on August 25.

His Majesty the Emperor is represented as in no way concerned about the question of Japanese-American relations, but his naval general staff, also studying reports, made no secret of the fact that the games are designed to defeat a theoretical attack by the United States navy, the recent American manoeuvres in the Pacific were designed to defeat a theoretical attack by the sea strength of Japan.

HUGE AREA.

A spokesman for the Navy ministry, in explaining the games to the United Press, said that the manoeuvres will spread over the waters, south of Japan proper and between Formosa on the west and the Bonin Islands on the east. All principal units of the Imperial sea forces are participating.

The combined fleet is under command of Admiral Seizo Kobayashi, who also commands the first squadron. His chief of staff is Rear-Admiral Zengo Yoshida. The second squadron is commanded by Vice-Admiral Nobumasa Suetsugu. The fourth squadron, specially created for these manoeuvres, is under command of Vice-Admiral Osami Nagano.

These three squadrons have, for the past two months, been engaged in target practice and individual manoeuvring in the same waters, but starting last week they came together for concerted mimic warfare.

Coordinated with the warships' "games" will be the naval air forces, as well as the land forces of the navy, from the bases at Yokosuka, Kure and Sasebo, including naval brigades, Admiral Kichisaburo Nomura, commandant of the Yokosuka naval station, Vice-Admiral Seizo Sakonji, Sasebo commandant, and Vice-Admiral Kurezo Nakamura, chief of the Kure naval station, will therefore take part in the manoeuvres.

EMPEROR TO JOIN IN.

With one eye presumably on the American battle fleet, concentrated for more than a year past on the Pacific Coast, Japan's most brilliant naval strategists, thus put their fighting machines, largest, most modern and most efficient ships of war, into operation to make sure that it will work with clocklike exactness in time of emergency.

Among these vessels are the battle cruiser Kongo, flagship of Admiral Kobayashi, the treaty cruiser Takao, flagship of Admiral Suetsugu, and the great battleship Nagato, Admiral Nagano's flagship. The manoeuvres will wind up with a grand review off Yokosuka.

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### AMERICA'S GOLD

PLAN FOR EVADING EMBARGO

GOVERNMENT AND HOARDERS

(Special to "Telegraph")

New York, Aug. 6. Gold mining concerns in the United States are now studying the possibility of exporting ore before smelting with the prospect of being able to realise something from the world price of \$28.9 per ounce.

The quantity of ore which could be exported under any scheme which might be drawn up is problematical, pending a study of freight rates, which form a highly important factor in view of the bulk and weight of ore.

Meanwhile, a message from Washington states that the Attorney-General, Mr. Cummings, has fixed the week from August 10 to August 17 as the dead-line for hoarders of gold, a great deal of which is still in private hands.

GOVERNMENT ACTION.

After August 17, the Government intends either to prosecute or to publish the names of people found in possession of gold.

It is estimated that hoarders hold at least \$200,000,000 in gold certificates and a like amount in actual coin.

The Government is maintaining the monopoly in the purchase of gold from mines and smelters, but allows the exportation of some raw ores.

Production is greatly declining as a result of the Government's policy. Only 4,000,000 ounces were produced in April and May.

—United Press. Per Gold Bar Co.

### CHINA BEGINS BUYING WHEAT

PURCHASING OFFICES SET UP

W. P. Wei, Chinese purchasing agent for wheat and cotton under the \$50,000,000 loan to China by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, announced that the Chinese government has begun purchasing operations out of offices established in Houston, Tex., and Portland, Ore.

At least half of the wheat and cotton purchased under the arrangement will be sent to China in American ships.

The remainder will be sent according to circumstances and rates available.

The R. F. C. funds involved will not leave the Federal Reserve banks, but will merely be transferred from one account to another.

There will be one edition only of the Telegraph to-day, owing to the August Bank Holiday.

## POLICE "ANTI-PIRACY" COUP AT SHAUKIWAN

### THIRTEEN SUSPECTS

REVOLVERS FOUND IN BUCKET-BOTTOM

MIDNIGHT RAID DISCOVERIES

One of the biggest coups of the Hongkong Police for some time past was carried out during the week-end, when as the result of a series of lightning midnight raids in the district of Saiwanho (Shaukiwan) thirteen suspected pirates, believed to be members of a Bias Bay gang arrived here for the express purpose of another piracy, were taken into custody.

Three revolvers were also seized.

The important operation was carried out by fifteen members of the Criminal Investigation Department on Friday night, the details being kept a close secret until the time appointed.

The Police party first visited a house in Main Street, this being quickly followed by raids on two huts within close distance of each other on the hillside above Saiwanho.

COMPLETE SURPRISE.

In all cases the Police visit came as a complete surprise, no fewer than thirty Chinese being placed under arrest.

Buried in a vegetable plot on the hillside the Police discovered a bucket of curious construction.

Within a false compartment so ingeniously fitted into the bottom of the utensil as to escape ordinary attention, they found three loaded revolvers.

SEVENTEEN RELEASED.

The Police are extremely secretive regarding the further investigations ensuing from the arrests, but it is learned that after close questioning, they have released 17 of the original number of suspects taken into custody, and have detained the remainder.

One of the thirteen thus held, has been identified as an ex-convict who was some time ago deported from the Colony.

### THE PENNSYLVANIA COAL STRIKE

Decision to Continue the Fight

New York, Aug. 6.

Following the announcement that 20,000 miners at Brownsville are continuing the strike, it is learned that fifty thousand other miners have decided to extend their pickets to the Frick Mine, which the owners announced would be reopened to-morrow.

The reason for the continuance of the fight is attributed to the men's displeasure at the failure of their leaders to be recognised by the local committees in the industrial truce.—Reuter.

### AMNESTY SEQUEL

RIOTS FOLLOW RETURN OF PRISONERS

Havana, Cuba, Aug. 1.

Riots were reported to-day in Santiago de Cuba and Camaguey as anti-government factions welcomed political prisoners and exiles who returned home after the recent general amnesty.

Senorita Maria Lavadi, 17, a former political prisoner, was killed in Santiago when Communists rioted.

At Camaguey, 2,500 participated in a riot.

### COAL-MINERS DEFY PRESIDENT

Decide to Go On With Strike

New York, Aug. 6. President Roosevelt is being defied by twenty thousand of the Pennsylvania coal-miners, who have refused to accept the President's strike settlement terms.

A miners' meeting at Brownsville to-day overwhelmingly voted that the strike should continue at least until Friday.—Reuter.

### THE BANFF AGENDA

CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES

FOUR TICKLISH PROBLEMS

(Special to "Telegraph")

New York, Aug. 6. The agenda for the Banff Conference is expected to include discussions upon the following subjects:

(1) the world economic conflict, the alleged dumping of Japanese electrical equipment in the United States and the subsequent retaliation by American manufacturers.

(2) the textile war between Japanese and Indian cotton mills.

(3) the struggle for the Far Eastern petroleum markets, between the Standard Oil Company of New York, the Shell interests (Asiatic Petroleum Company) and the Soviet oil concerns.

(4) the partial closing of the Open Door in Manchuria.—Reuter.

### ANGLO-FRENCH DEMARCHE

GERMANY LIKELY TO SEE REASON

NO OFFICIAL STATEMENT YET

Berlin, Aug. 6.

It is understood that the German Government is prepared to "try" and prevent German aeroplanes from dropping pamphlets over Austria and is also prepared to stiffen the censorship of wireless speeches.

This intimation follows the news of the intended Franco-British demarche on the subject of Nazi propaganda in Austria, although it is learned that the Notes have not yet been delivered owing to the absence of officials during the week-end.

Officially, the German Foreign Office is completely silent.

THE NOTES.

The Franco-British Notes, which are in identical terms, draw the attention of the German Government to their obligations towards Austria, citing the Covenant of the League, the Versailles Treaty and the Four-Power Pact.

The Notes are couched in very friendly terms and are very brief. Italy declined to join Britain and France in making representations, but it is understood that the Italian Ambassador two or three days ago spoke to high German officials unofficially on the subject.—Reuter.

### SPLENDID FLIGHT

FRENCH AIRMEN GOING WELL

VIOLENT GALES OVER ATLANTIC

London, Aug. 7.

The well-known French airmen, Codos and Rossi, are well on their way towards the breaking of the world long-distance flight record, having emerged successfully through very stormy weather in their Atlantic crossing.

At one o'clock this morning, they were in the vicinity of Munich, Bavaria, and were still going strong.

A wireless message from their plane, the "Joseph Le Brix" was picked up at the Munich aerodrome at 12.20 a.m. to-day, stating that the airmen expected to pass over the city within a few minutes, and to continue towards Vienna.

NOT SIGHTED.

A watch was kept for them, but they had not been sighted by one o'clock and it is presumed that the fliers missed Munich or were flying too high to be observed.

Some four hours previously, they had passed very close to Paris, flying over at about 10,200 a.m.

They wirelessed to officials at Le Bourget announcing that they still had 2,800 litres of petrol left despite the fact that they had encountered violent storms over the Atlantic and they were of opinion that they could comfortably break the record.

TILL PETROL IS EXHAUSTED.

The airmen took off from New York at 4.41 a.m. on Saturday and they intend to fly on until the



Codos and Rossi

petrol supply of 1,770 gallons exhausted.

The record they are attacking is that of the R.A.F. fliers in their trip from England to Walvis Bay in the Falmey-Napier monoplane. The distance they covered was 5,340 miles.—Reuter.

### DEATH OF SIR JAMES CRAIG

SPONSOR OF IRISH SWEEPSTAKE

Sir James Craig, M.D., who was a member of Dail Eireann (the Free State Parliament) from its establishment, died on the 11th inst. As an independent member he introduced the Bill which gave legal sanction to the setting up of the Irish Sweepstakes, by which a sum exceeding five and a quarter million pounds sterling has already been raised for the Irish hospitals. The late Sir James Craig was born in County Antrim in 1841. From 1895 to 1905 he was Secretary of the Lister Branch of the British Medical Association. He received a knighthood in 1921. He was a member of the House of Commons, and was under the Government of the day. He had taken a keen interest in the affairs of the country and in the welfare of the people.—Reuter.





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## THE WORLD OF WOMEN



### MODERNS IN MINIATURE

ANKLE-LENGTH DRESS-UP FROCKS FOR LITTLE GIRLS ARE VERY NEW. A QUAIN DIMITY PRINT IS USED FOR THE ONE AT THE RIGHT. ORGANDY PLEATING EDGES THE NECK AND SLEEVES.

AT THE LEFT, BELOW, YELLOW ORGANDY IS USED FOR A RUFFLEY PARTY FROCK. TINY BOWS OF BLACK GROSSEIN RIBBON TRIM THE FRONT.

WHITE ORGANDY EMBROIDERED IN RED DOTS IS USED FOR THE DRESS AT THE RIGHT, BELOW. THE SHOULDER STRAPS ARE OF RED VELVET RIBBON.



### YOUR CHILDREN.

#### The 2-to-6 Child Deserves Special Watching

By Oliver Roberts Barton

The child who needs just as careful watching as the baby is the one from two to six years of age.

We bend over backwards to keep the baby safe and that is right. We organize all sorts of regular physical examinations and free clinics for the school child, see that he gets his regular milk in school hours, and in many cases free lunches. And that is right, too.

But what do we do for the pre-school child? Almost nothing at all. It is called by certain indignant specialists trying to save child life "the neglected age" and so it is.

The child gets almost his entire heritage of health under six. Then why is it that so many people become careless of him and take it for granted that after his babyhood he can sit at the table and eat the same foods his parents eat—pastry, rich sauces, too much starch, strong gravies and the like?

#### Needs Special Attention

Besides all this, he is not old enough to attend to himself as the six or eight-year-old brothers and sisters, yet in some mysterious way he is allowed to shift for himself. Of course I am speaking in generalities. Many mothers are very careful of these little folk. And even those who are inclined to think the two-to-six child needs no special attention are hardly to be blamed, because the needs of such children have never been accentuated. The emphasis has ever been on the baby and on the school child.

To show how important this age is now considered, it has been proved over and over that diseases springing suddenly to life during adolescence (thirteen to eighteen) are direct results of trouble, unnoticed, beginning during these early years. Tuberculosis, chronic infections, bone trouble, malnourishment and its dire effects—every kind and variety of disease that seem to spring from nowhere, at the "developing" age are found to have their beginnings away back in early childhood.

What then should be done about the two-to-six child?

First of all he should be nourished. "But he eats all the time," his mother may say. That is just

### GLORIFYING YOURSELF

#### Treat Facial Blemishes Cautiously

By Alicia Hart.

Sometimes you see a woman with one or two large brown spots on her face, "freckles," she may call them. Others sometimes term them "liver spots."

Whatever you name them, they are not attractive, mainly because they obviously do not belong where they are. There are two ways of treating them. First, you can use a cream for covering them up (there are new creams for such purposes on the market). Second, you can get at the root of the matter and get rid of them.

Certain experienced operators burn off such spots with carbolic acid. You cannot do it yourself. It is a most precise operation. Done right it is effective. Done wrong it will burn the outlying skin and do much more harm than good. Never try this treatment yourself, but go to someone who really knows how.

Second, try bleaching creams and bleaching stimulants on them, as if they were freckles. Sometimes they do reach them and take them out. This experiment may succeed and is worth trying.

The third, and the safest way to treat them, is to consult your family physician to see if they aren't spots from bad digestive troubles. If so, the internal trouble must be cured before you can get rid of them. If you actually have digestive trouble, of course you want it cured. So start with the third alternative, if you are interested in getting rid of such brown spots.

it. But what does he eat, how much and when?

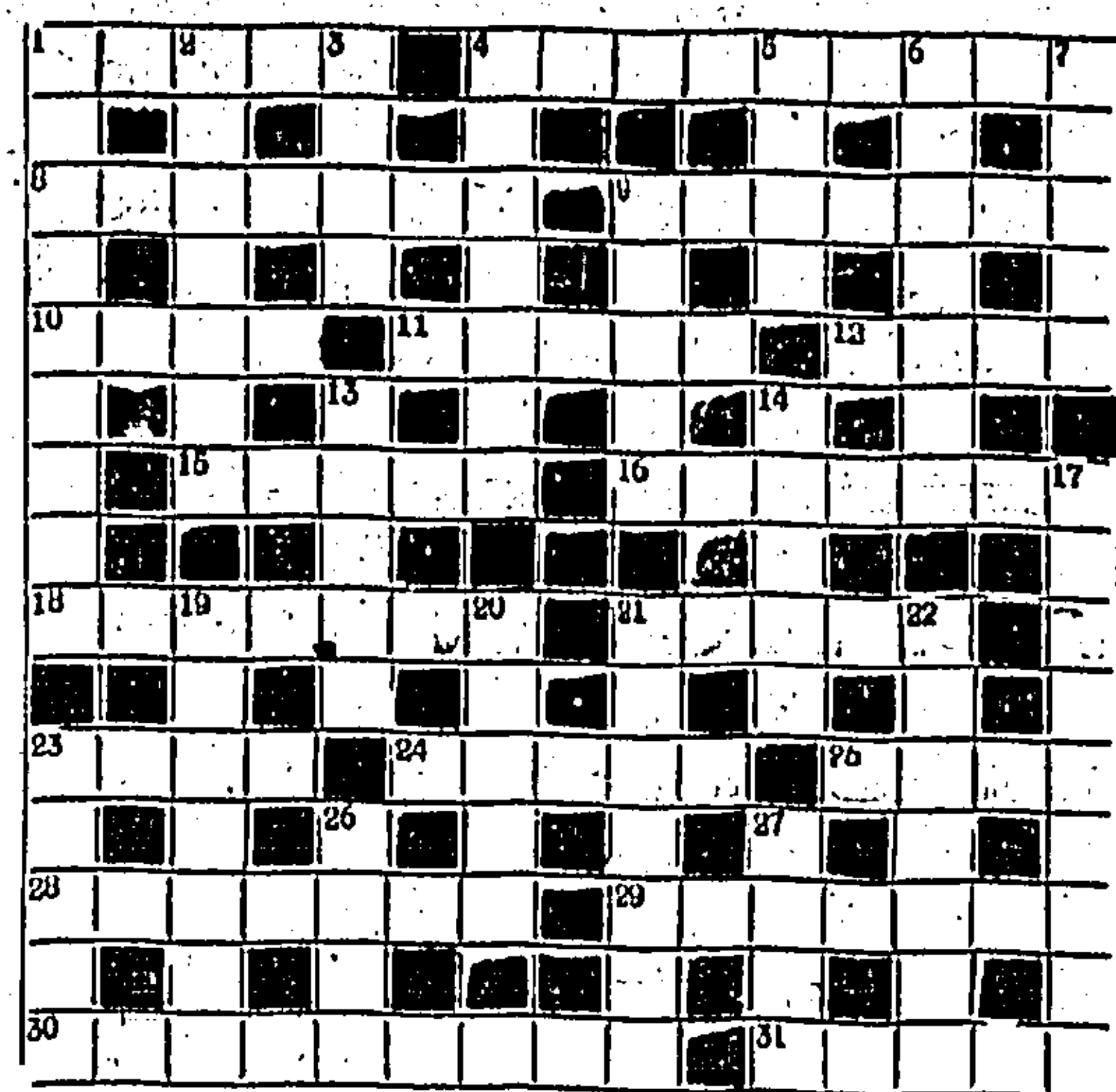
#### Stuffing Is Not Enough

Food does not necessarily mean nourishment. Quantity does not mean quality. To stuff him with bread and jam isn't feeding him. He needs three regular meals a day. When very young he needs four. But the fourth should be milk only. Later he needs only three.

He needs cooked foods and plenty of milk. He needs cereals twice a day, well-cooked vegetables; celery, spinach, lettuce, beets, peas, beans, cabbage, cauliflower, tomatoes—the list could go on. For very young children make purees of them when cooked or cut up the vegetables finely and make them into soup. Not all of these things every day, of course, but some of them—a variety. He needs milk, some fresh meat, never fried, and no thick gravy—also eggs, fish or chicken. Some plain sweets, fat such as butter, and a certain amount of fruit—cooked or plain—but asked the doctor about the fruit! Whole wheat bread is better than too much fine white bread.

His meals should be regular. His bedtime should be seven o'clock every night. He should have a nap or rest period during the day. He should be bathed regularly. He needs fresh air day and night and his own bed if possible. And if he isn't well, or is round-shouldered, a bad colour, or has no appetite, he needs a doctor.

### OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



#### Across

- 1 The animal is in French good.
- 4 Name part (hyphen).
- 8 Dog by the fire.
- 9 Part of a castle.
- 10 If you set them on a tramp, he won't mind.
- 11 You can take a meal off it.
- 12 Pacific islands.
- 15 Strange that one goes there expressly to sit.
- 16 To give a first-hand account with humour and point.
- 18 "Do good by — and blush to find it fame" (Pope).
- 21 Thieving, for instance, has a cold finish.
- 23 Some bay and bright (but it is not spelt that way!)
- 24 Is at the end or at the beginning.
- 25 Gem.
- 26 A Welsh prefix pains ruffians.
- 29 Go to the dictionary for a lesson in French about the team.
- 30 The chaotic state of trade in meal is united.
- 31 Another chaotic state.

#### Down

- 1 Innocent advice to a censorious critic.
- 2 "And such a want-wit — makes of me, That I have much ado to know myself" ("Merchant of Venice").
- 3 In the Thames or in the North-East.
- 4 Drank at (anagram).
- 5 Simple, no doubt, and somewhat accommodating.

#### 6 An opening.

- 7 Something the crossword fan avoids.
- 8 You want fur on this to provide a founce.
- 13 Underground in a limited state last month.
- 14 Doesn't require a lawyer to get up this case.
- 17 Appearance.
- 19 Mother of Parliaments.
- 20 A little county.
- 21 Thoroughly cold and sick at heart.
- 22 A famous signal-word.
- 23 Short.
- 24 A god.
- 27 The way out any time here, and in France about eleven.

#### Saturday's Solution.

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SPIT TO A E ATOM  
S X HELICAL E E  
ESTEEMER DOMAIN  
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C O T C A N E A L  
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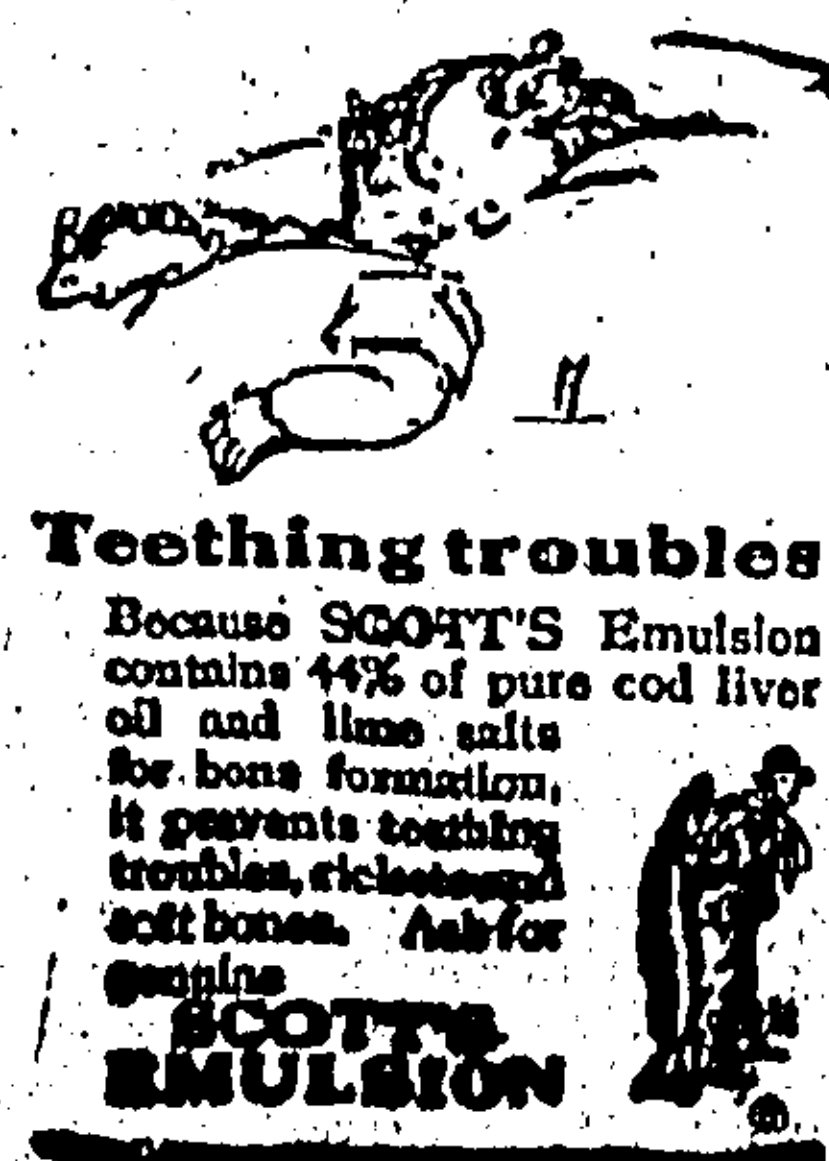
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# RASPUTIN AND THE EMPRESS

Adapted by BIANCO E. JONES from the M.G.M. Picture.

On Saturday our story ended with Prince Paul and the Grand Duke Igor on their way to see the Tsar.  
NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

## CHAPTER FOUR

As the car bearing the Prince and the Grand Duke approached the Imperial Palace, Paul and the Grand Duke Igor were aware of a large crowd that surged about the Saviour's Gate. The chauffeur had to brake his machine and proceed slowly, continually honking his horn to clear a way. Finally the press of people grew so thick that it was impossible to proceed further. A sentry, standing with a cordon of his fellows to hold the crowd back from the gate, observed their plight and pointed it out to the officer in charge of the guard detail. Quickly, this officer formed his men into a solid front, then, using the butts of their rifles, the soldiers waded through the crowd, pushing the people back to right and left so that the Prince's car could make an entry into the Kremlin.

"What is this cannibal doing here?" the Grand Duke asked, his lips curling disdainfully as they passed through the crowd.

"I expect that they have come to pay their respects to the Imperial family," Paul said. "After all, this is the three-hundredth anniversary of the Romanoffs."

"A strange way to pay respects," Igor said, looking out through the closed windows of the car at the milling, shouting mob. They rode slowly past enthusiastic faces, waving arms, hurrying men, women, children. The mob surged forward in their fury of devotion to the little Tsarevitch, whose name they shouted out again and again.

"A treacherous scum who cheers one day and throws a bomb the next," Igor said with disgust. He leaned back in his seat and puffed at his cigarette.

"Did you ever make an effort to think why?" Paul asked.

Igor remained silent, looking deservingly at the Prince.

Paul continued: "It only happens when those whom they cheer disappoint them bitterly."

The guards swung open the gate, and the official automobile drove through. The sentries attempted to close the doors upon the crowd,

but many poured through, clinging to the car, running ahead of it with mad shouts.

In one of the more intimate rooms of the Kremlin, the Emperor Nicolai looked up from his writing as a knock sounded at the door. The little Tsarevitch lay face down on the floor, an elaborate water colour paint box before him, a dozen sheets of white paper scattered on the floor, around him. The Empress was sewing, and from time to time she paused to watch her son at his play. The Emperor frowned at the interruption.

"Yes?"

Igor entered. Prince Paul remained standing at attention just outside the room.

"Uncle, I'm sorry," Nicolai said kindly, taking Igor's hand. "Poor Sergei."

"Did you get our message?" the Empress asked Igor.

Igor bowed stiffly.

"Thank you. I haven't been home. I won't be a moment," she said and came closer to the Tsar.

"Nicolai," Igor said, "how long do I have to stand insolence and insubordination from your court favourites?"

"Who is it this time?" asked the Tsar.

"Prince Paul Chegodieff."

"Shall I leave?" the Empress asked her husband quietly.

Nicolai gestured in the negative. He regarded Igor with rising irritation. The Empress signalled for the Tsarevitch to leave the room.

"What has Paul done?" the Tsar demanded.

"He's been insolent; he disobeyed orders, he was grossly insubordinate in the presence of others."

"All right, I'll punish him," Nicolai said resignedly.

"That's what you said last time," Igor persisted. "Now, I know he's your little pet. But if I am to continue as Governor General of Moscow, I am not going to be made a fool of by a Colonel of your Guards."

"Call him in," the Empress said.

Igor walked over to the door. "Colonel Chegodieff," he called out.

Paul stepped in smartly and stood at attention. The Tsar forced an air of severity.

"If I hear one more criticism of

your behaviour, I'm going to relieve you of your command. You must realize you're a soldier, subject to your superiors."

Paul was pale with the injustice of the affair. He controlled himself with difficulty.

"May I explain, Your Majesty?"

"No! You can apologize!" was the abrupt reply.

Paul turned to Igor, and brought his heels together sharply.

The Colonel of Her Majesty's Cavalier Guards brings his apologies for insubordination while Your Imperial Highness was assuming the duties of public executioner."

Igor glared at Paul. Furious, the Grand Duke turned to the Tsar, and in a choked voice, spluttered:

"This is an insult. I demand his arrest."

The Tsar stood up and faced the Grand Duke.

"What's this about an execution?"

"For the assassination of my brother—and your uncle," Igor answered defiantly.

"It is for me to decide what action should be taken," the Tsar said decisively.

"This called for immediate action," Igor told the Tsar of all the Russians. "Under martial law, I acted within my rights."

The Tsar asked quietly: "How many are dead?"

"I don't know," was the curt answer.

The Tsar looked from Igor to Paul.

"Twelve—fifteen," Paul said hesitantly. "Four of them are women," he added.

"After all our promises of reform," the Tsar said accusingly to Igor.

"But they started this killing," Igor argued. "Let me alone. Your grandfather never hesitated. And there were no assassinations in his reign."

The Tsar began to pace the floor nervously. He remained silent, deep in thought. The Empress had said nothing. Now she spoke.

"This is another century, Igor," she said sharply. "It will put us back twenty years in the eyes of Europe."

The Grand Duke showed annoyance.

"My dear Empress—," he said with polite venom, "or would you rather be called Kaiserin?"

The insult was obvious. The Emperor stopped short and wheeled about.

"Igor!" he exclaimed warningly. Prince Paul was quickly to intervene.

"The last Empress Germany gave

us—Catherine—was usually called the Great," he said suavely.

The Empress flashed him a grateful smile. Paul returned it.

Igor quickly apologized.

"I meant no disrespect," he explained, "but you have never understood the Russian temperament. Moderation may be all right in Germany. It is fatal here."

"It's never been tried here," she answered inexorably.

"What if—instead of my brother," Igor played his trump card, "it had been your son?"

The Empress shuddered. She trembled a little as she said slowly:

"What a cruel man you really are, Igor."

The Tsar stopped his pacing. Earnestly, he said:

"How can we repair this massacre of yours? We have to do something at once—something that will reach the people before this does—and take the taste out of their mouths."

"For ten years they have been asking for representation," Paul said suggestively.

Igor sneered.

"That's right. Kill them, and then say we're sorry. Get down on our knees."

Paul remained cool.

"I was talking about representation, Your Highness," he repeated. "They've had representation."

Igor insisted. "What do you call the Duma?"

"The Duma? I'd call it what you intended it to be: a puppet congress! Without power to act, without courage to speak for those they were supposed to represent. You permitted no one to be elected to that Duma who wouldn't stack the cards in favour of the nobility. The stench was so great you had

to dissolve it."

"Yet I am always asked to restore it," the Tsar said thoughtfully.

A knock at the door interrupted them. At Nicolai's command, the Grand Duke Boris, a blood relative of the Tsar, entered. He remained near the door.

"I'm glad I found you, Igor," he said testily. "Do you realize what's going on outside?"

Looks of apprehension appeared on their faces. Paul relieved the tension.

"The crowd?" he asked easily, "oh, they're just celebrating."

"Weren't they told the ceremonies were over?" The Tsar asked nervously.

"They're demanding the Tsarevitch," Boris told them. "It seems they were told he would appear—"

"He will not appear," the Empress said quickly.

Boris shifted from foot to foot. "They're beginning to get ugly," he warned. "It's the only way we'll get them out."

The Empress walked slowly to the door. She stopped and faced them. Her voice welled with emotion as she said hysterically:

"You're not going to wave my son at the crowd after what happened to Sergei."

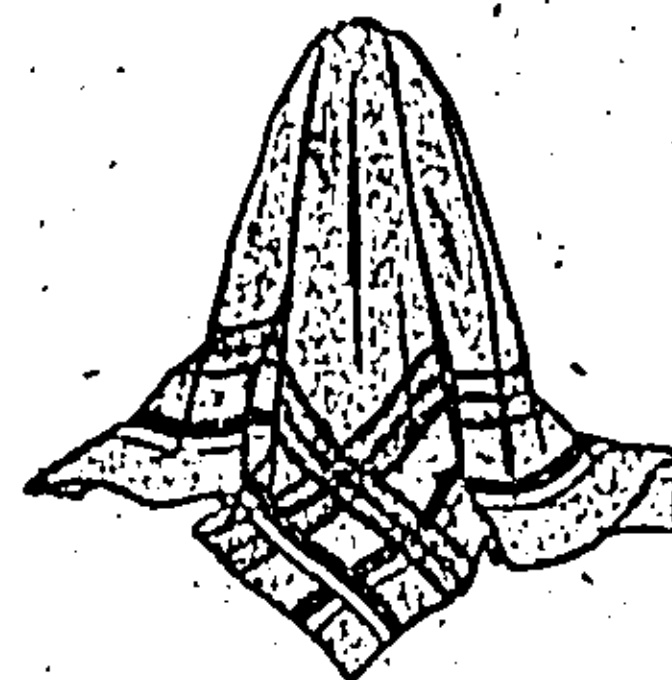
She turned again and walked from the room. Hastily, they followed. She faced them again.

"Can't you find someone bigger to hide behind?" she cried. "We're always holding him between us and the crowd! Well, he's not a sacred image! He's my son, and heir to the throne!"

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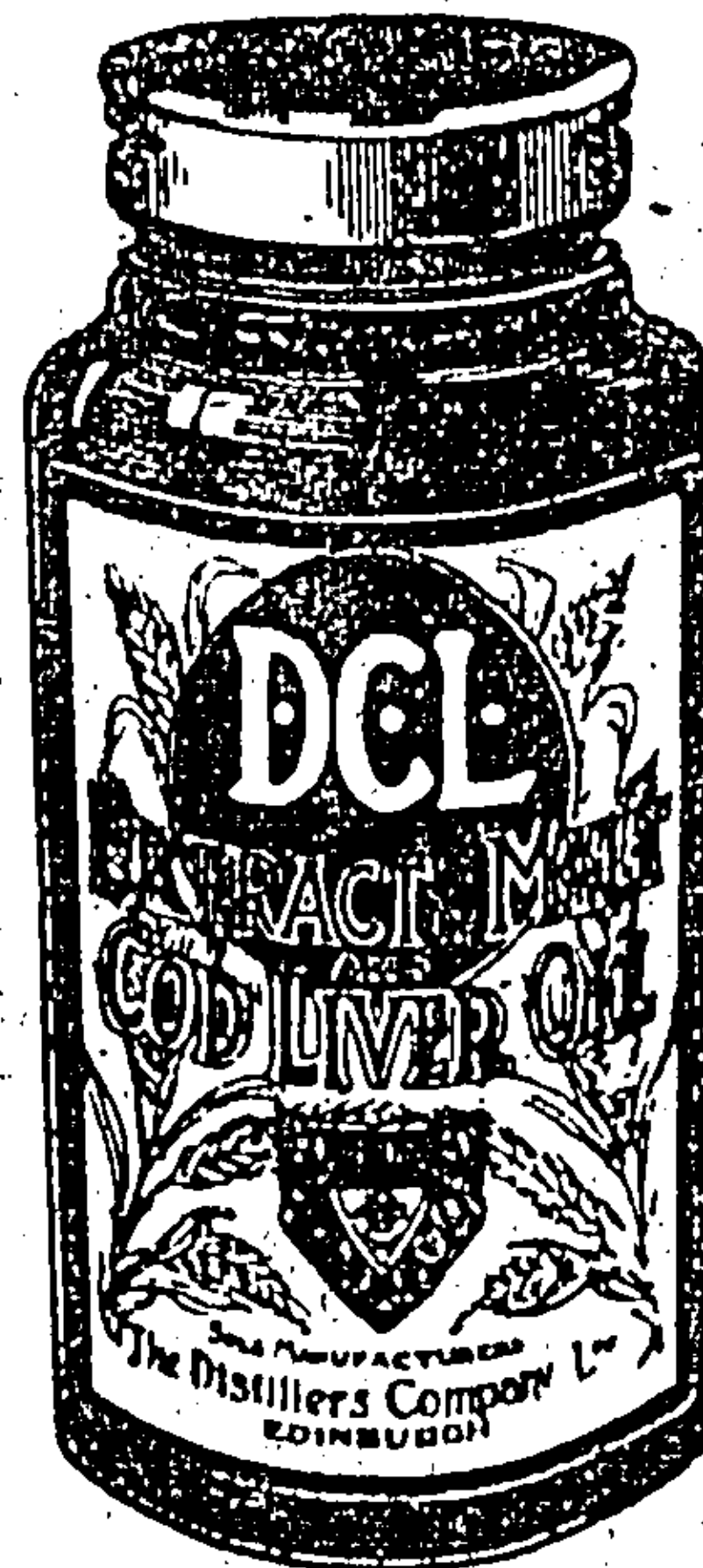
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The procession through the streets of Cork on the occasion of the annual Corpus Christi celebrations. This picture shows the canopy with the Bishop of Cork carrying the Sacrament. (Planet News).



Brian Gates, who was judged the best baby in the Camberwell Show, receiving homage from little dancers after his election. (Planet News).



A fireman wearing the new fire-proof suit, which in some respects resembles a diving suit. In this picture he is effecting a rescue during tests made in Paris (Planet News).



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The Golden Text was: "Teach  
me to do thy will; for thou art my  
God; the spirit is good" (Ps. 143:  
10).

Among the citations which  
comprised the Lesson-Sermon was  
the following from the Bible: "But  
as it is written, Eye hath not seen,  
nor ear heard, neither have entered  
into the heart of man, the things  
which God hath prepared for them  
that love him. But God hath  
revealed them into us by his  
Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all  
things, yea, the deep things of God.  
Now we have received, not the  
spirit of the world, but the spirit  
which is of God; that we might  
know the things that are freely  
given to us of God." (I. Cor. 9,  
10, 11).

The Lesson-Sermon also included  
the following passages from the  
Christian Science textbook,  
"Science and Health with Key to  
the Scriptures" by Mary Baker  
Eddy: "The three great verities of  
Spirit, omnipotence, omnipresence,  
omniscience—Spirit possessing all  
power, filling all space, constituting  
all Science,—contradict fore-  
over the belief that matter can be  
actual. These eternal verities re-  
veal primordial existence as the  
radiant reality of God's creation,  
in which all that He has made is  
pronounced by His wisdom good"  
(pp. 109, 110).



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## HAWKERS CAUTIONED.

WOMAN ARRESTED BY THE  
INSPECTOR GENERAL

"What I don't like about these  
hawker raids is that the Police  
are inclined to grab anybody. I  
agree it is a hard time for them  
as they have not got much time  
to choose between the sheep and  
the goats. We are trying to clear  
the main roads and here they  
chase a man in Gilman Street, a  
side street." He cannot go on all  
day, he must rest," remarked Mr.  
Wynne-Jones on Saturday, when  
he let an elderly Chinese go with-  
out even recording a caution.

When an elderly Chinese woman  
appeared on a charge of obstruc-  
tion with her stalls on the foot-  
path of Beaconsfield Arcade, it  
was stated by Sub-Inspector Kirby  
that the defendant was arrested  
by the Hon. Inspector General of  
Police, who was passing in his  
car.

Being unable to procure bail the  
woman had been locked up since  
6 p.m. on Friday. She was allowed  
to go with a caution.

Another woman, who pleaded  
from the dock that she had not  
enough money to buy a licence,  
was stated to have a stock of  
huberdanery goods in a basket  
worth \$10.

Defendant.—It is only worth  
about a dollar.

Mr. Wynne-Jones.—Will you sell  
me the lot for \$1.50?

Defendant was unwilling. She  
was cautioned, for enquiries to be  
made into her circumstances.

Boy Given a Chance.

Pineapples are plentiful just  
now and are being sold at a great  
profit, according to the Police  
Court Interpreter at Central on  
Saturday. He said that pine-  
apples are worth about five cents  
and were being sold at ten and  
fifteen cents.

A Chinese youth charged before  
Mr. Wynne-Jones with hawking  
the fruit without a licence, was  
stated to have put up bail from  
his capital, \$5.

Defendant was cautioned, his  
Worship referring the case to the  
Street Boys' Club.

## NAVAL MANOEUVRES.

JAPANESE FLEET PLAYS A  
GAME OF WAR

Shanghai, Aug. 5.  
According to Japanese reports,  
naval manoeuvres on an extremely  
large scale are at present being  
carried out in the area extending  
from the Kuriles to Formosa, in-  
cluding the Mandate Islands.

The manoeuvres, which are cen-  
tered at the Bonin Islands, are be-  
ing carried out by the First, Sec-  
ond and Third Battle Fleets, to-  
talling more than fifty war vessels  
of all classes.

The war game is alleged to be  
on the lines of Admiral Suetsugu  
attacking from the North Pacific  
towards Japan, and Admiral Ko-  
bayashi commanding the defence  
force, based on the Bonins.

According to Japanese reports,  
the enveloping of the Philippines  
and the blockading of the China  
Coast will also be worked out  
theoretically.—Reuter.

## LED BY THE NOSE.

S.P.C.A. ALLEGE CRUELTY  
TO CATTLE

Charged with cruelty to cattle  
by leading them with cord insert-  
ed through their nostrils, led to  
the appearance before Mr. Scho-  
field at the Central Magistracy  
on Saturday morning, of Leung  
Kam-yung, a foreman in charge of  
a cattle guild at 103, Belcher's  
Street.

Mr. R. H. Cole, appearing for  
the defendant, tendered a plea of  
not guilty, and asked that a date  
be fixed for hearing.

Addressing S.P.C.A. Inspector  
O'Brien, Mr. Schofield asked if it  
was not a common custom to lead  
oxen in this way.

Inspector O'Brien replied in the  
negative, saying they should be  
led by their horns.

Mr. Schofield fixed hearing of  
the case for Monday, August 14,  
at 11.30 a.m.

## JAPANESE RIGHTS.

WILL YIELD TO MANCHUKUO  
IN TWO YEARS

Changchun, Aug. 5.  
The Joint Japanese-Manchukuo  
Commission, studying the aboli-  
tion of extra-territoriality, decid-  
ed to-day, after a series of meet-  
ings, that the extra-territorial  
rights enjoyed by the Japanese in  
the new State, should be abolished  
within two years.

The Commission also decided  
that the administrative rights re-  
garding the S.M.B. zone should be  
returned to Manchukuo by Japan,  
all depending on the situation two  
years hence.

## SHARE PRICES

SATURDAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local  
share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.  
H'kong Banks, \$1850 s.  
H'kong Banks, London, \$129 1/2 n.  
x div.  
Chartered Bank \$16 1/2 n.  
Mercantile Bank, A. & B.  
\$24 1/2 n.

Mercantile Bank C., \$9 1/2 n.  
East Asia, \$101 b.  
Am: O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.  
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$5.40 n.  
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$5.00 n.  
Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$310 b.  
Union Ins., \$550 b.  
China Underwriters, \$1.00 b.  
China Fire, \$595 n.  
H.K. Fire, \$275 n.  
International Assoc. Sh. \$6.25 n.

Shipping.  
Douglas, \$32 1/2 b.  
H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.  
Indo-China, (Pref.), \$30 n.  
Indo-China, (Def.), \$32 1/2 b.  
Shells (Bearer), 50/7 1/2 n.  
Union Waterboats, \$15 n.

Mining.  
Bonguets, \$35 1/2 b.  
Kallans, 28/9 n.  
Langkats (Single), Sh. \$16 n.  
S'hai Explorations, Sh. \$4 n.  
S'hai Loans, Sh. \$6.40 n.

Raub, \$10 1/2 n.  
Venz: Goldfields, \$5 n.  
Benquet Exp. 28 cts. n.

Docks, etc.  
H.K. Wharves, \$129 1/2 s.  
H.K. Docks, \$16 1/2 n.  
S. China Motors A., \$10 n.  
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.

Providents (old), \$380.  
Providents (new), \$1.40 n.  
Hongkows, Sh. \$339 n.  
New Engineering, Sh. \$7 1/2 n.  
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$142 n.

Landa, Hotels, etc.  
H. and S. Hotels, \$7.10 sa.  
H.K. Lands, \$78 b.

S'hai Lands, Sh. \$32 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.  
Humphreys, \$14 n.

H.K. Realities, \$8.10 s.  
Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.  
Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.

Chinese Estates \$97 n.  
China Realities, Sh. \$15 n.  
China Debentures Sh. \$197 n.

Cotton Mills.  
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$15 s.  
S'hai Cottons, Sh. \$106 n.

Zoong Sings, Sh. \$14 1/2 n.  
Wing On Textiles (S.) \$90 n.

Public Utilities.  
Tramways, \$22.85 s.  
Peak Trams, (old) \$15 1/2 b.

Peak Trams, (new), \$73 1/2 n.  
Star Ferries, \$96 sa.  
Yaumati Ferries (old), \$25 1/2 n.

China Lights (old), \$12 1/2 b.  
China Lights (new), \$12.35 b.  
H.K. Electric, \$74 1/2 sa.

Macao Electric, \$23 n.  
Sandakan Lights, \$10 1/2 n.  
Telephones (old), \$30.10 sa.

China Buses, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.  
Singapore Traction, 2/- b.  
Singapore Pref., 15/- b.

Industrials.  
Malayan Sugars \$15 n.  
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$20 n.

Cald: Macg. (Prof.), Sh. \$16 n.  
Canton Ice, \$6 n.  
Cements (Com.), \$6.05 sa.

Cements (old), \$5 n.  
Cements (new), \$1.05 n.  
H.K. Ropes, \$8.10 n.

Stores, etc.  
Dairy Farms, \$29 1/2 b.  
Watsons, \$9 n.

Der A Wings, \$1 n.  
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Wm. Powells, \$2.10 n.  
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Miscellaneous.  
Amusements, \$11 1/2 b.  
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S.C. Enterprises, \$3 1/2 n.  
United Theatres, Sh. \$4 n.  
Macao "Greyhounds", \$10 n.

Constructions (old), \$3.90 n.  
Constructions (new), 85 cts. b.  
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Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.

## STORM IN KOREA

HEAVY LOSS OF LIFE IN  
FISHING FLEETS

Fusan, Aug. 6.  
A violent storm, which swept the  
sea off South Korea on Thursday  
last, took a heavy toll of lives.

One hundred and seven fishermen  
in 20 fishing boats have been missing  
since that day, while 172 fishing  
boats were sunk, according to in-  
formation received up to this  
morning.—Reuter.

Nagasaki, Aug. 5.  
Seventeen coral fishermen are  
missing off Nagasaki.—Reuter.

## Further Fatalities.

Seoul, Aug. 6.  
In the same typhoon which destroy-  
ed numerous fishing boats off South-  
ern Korea on August 3, twenty-five  
inhabitants of Kelsio and Hokudo,  
including 14 women, were killed, due  
to being buried in debris.

Many houses collapsed, including  
the aquarium at Gensan.—Reuter.

## British Ship Disabled.

Moff, Aug. 5.  
The British freighter Fresno City  
was obliged to seek aid off Formosa  
at noon to-day, owing to a broken  
propeller shaft.

The Japanese steamer Nani Maru,  
has been dispatched to the scene.  
—Reuter.

## POST OFFICE NOTICE

GENERAL HOLIDAY.

TO-DAY, the 7th August, the General Post Office and Branch  
Post Offices will be open from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m.  
There will be one collection from the pillar-boxes and one delivery  
of ordinary correspondence as on Sundays, and one delivery of registered  
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Egypt (Cairo) .....	0.75	1.20	0.40
Greece (Athens) .....	0.85	1.40	0.45
Holland (Amsterdam) .....	1.00	1.80	0.55
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Europe, other countries (Amsterdam for onward transmission by rail)			

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(San Francisco, 14th July)		
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Straits	Yamagata Maru .....	August 7.
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Shanghai	Porosus .....	August 8.
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Manila	Empress of Japan .....	August 9.
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Australia and Manila	Changto .....	August 11.
Manila	President Cleveland .....	August 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Rajputana .....	August 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Tatsuta Maru .....	August 11.
Shanghai	Conte Rosso .....	August 12.
Straits	Mirzapore .....	August 12.
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### RUSSIAN JUBILEE.

SEVENTY-FIFTH  
 ANNIVERSARY OF GEN.  
 HORVATH

To-day is the seventy-five year  
 jubilee of General D. L. Horvath,  
 the head of Russian emigration  
 in the Far East.

General D. L. Horvath was born  
 in Russia on August 7, 1858.  
 As a Sub-Lieutenant of the  
 Imperial Guard he took part in  
 the War in 1877-1878. As Lieut-  
 enant of the Imperial Engineer's  
 battalion he was commissioned for  
 the construction of the Trans-  
 Caspian Railway. In 1887 he was  
 in charge of the section in  
 Samarkand of the same Railway,  
 until the end of the construction,  
 and in 1895 was appointed  
 Manager of the Ussuri Railway.  
 In 1899 he was transferred as  
 Manager to the Middle Asiatic  
 Railway.

In 1902, by special request of  
 the Minister of Finance, S. J.  
 Witte, he was appointed Manager  
 of the Chinese Eastern Railway,  
 as the most distinguished and  
 able railway engineer. During  
 20 years of management of this  
 Railway General Horvath was able  
 to obtain the most prosperous  
 results with this railway, which  
 rendered the best services for the  
 Russian Empire during the two  
 Wars—the first in 1905 and the  
 last during 1914-1917. During  
 the war of 1905 many times  
 General Horvath himself took  
 charge of the locomotives of  
 military trains, and under the fire  
 of the enemy removed the  
 wounded men and munitions.

The appreciation of the Chinese  
 population and employees under  
 his management was so great that  
 the Chinese Government erected a  
 statue to General Horvath in  
 Harbin.

When the revolution started in  
 Russia he directed the refugees  
 in Harbin, and was one of the  
 first who started the war against  
 communism and bolshevism. On  
 July 9, 1918, he proclaimed him-  
 self as Regent of the Far East,  
 but when in West Siberia the  
 Russian Government was pro-  
 claimed by Admiral Kolchak he  
 at once relinquished his own duties  
 as Regent.

His work for the glory of  
 Russia was duly appreciated by  
 the Imperial Government and he  
 received many decorations for his  
 distinguished service. His wish  
 to liberate Russia from the  
 Bolshevik government and his  
 work were so great that the  
 Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaevitch  
 of Russia appointed General  
 Horvath as his representative and  
 the Head of the Russian Emigra-  
 tion in the Far East.

At present General Horvath  
 lives with his family in Peking,  
 enjoying the respect and admira-  
 tion of all who have had the  
 pleasure to meet him.—Contrib-  
 uted.

### POLISH CORRIDOR

IMPORTANT AGREEMENT  
 WITH DANTZIG.

Warsaw, Aug. 5.

Agreements of far-reaching im-  
 portance to the peace of Eastern  
 Europe have been signed as the  
 result of negotiations between the  
 Polish Government and represent-  
 atives of the Nazi Government at  
 Dantzig.

Questions regarding the utiliza-  
 tion of the port of Dantzig are the  
 basis now laid down for the  
 negotiations, which are aimed at  
 guaranteeing to Dantzig a share  
 of the maritime development of  
 Poland.

The port of Dantzig has suffered  
 severely in recent years through  
 the competition from the neigh-  
 bouring Polish port of Gdynia.—  
 Reuter.

### AU TAU WOMAN MURDERED

RUITLESS ROBBERY BY  
 ARMED MEN

An armed robbery attended by  
 the murder of a Chinese woman,  
 and the wounding of a man, took  
 place in the Au Tau district of the  
 New Territories, early yesterday  
 morning. Three men who are  
 "wanted" for the murder, have dis-  
 appeared from the district, and a  
 Police hunt in which all the main-  
 land Stations participated, was  
 continued throughout the day with-  
 out result.

The murdered woman, Lau Fa,  
 was aged 49. She lived with her  
 husband, Chan Shing, who is a  
 farm labourer, on a sampan which  
 on the night in question was moor-  
 ed inshore near Sha Po Wai village,  
 on the Kam Tin River.

About 4 a.m., their 17-year-old  
 daughter, Chan Tai, who slept in a  
 matbed close by heard her  
 father's shouts for assistance. She  
 rushed to where the sampan was  
 tied up, and saw her father, who  
 had got out of the craft, being  
 struck to the ground by a man hold-  
 ing a chopper.

Lying face downwards on the  
 mud, nearer to the sampan, was  
 the labourer's wife, the girl's step-  
 mother. She appeared to have al-  
 ready succumbed to a murderous  
 attack which had terminated by  
 the time the younger woman reach-  
 ed her side.

The shouts uttered by the man  
 being attacked were also heard by  
 another villager, whose hut was on  
 the other side of the main road  
 skirting the shore. He rushed out  
 on the road, blowing a Police  
 whistle.

The man wielding the chopper  
 threw away his weapon, and, joined  
 by a second man, who until then  
 had been busily searching the stern  
 of the sampan, ran up the road and  
 disappeared along the bank of the  
 Kam Tin River in the direction of  
 the shore at the other end.

Shortly afterwards, a Police  
 patrol consisting of two Indians,  
 took up the chase, but the robbers  
 had had a good start.

Five ten-dollar notes, which the  
 murdered woman is known to have  
 had in her girdle, were missing  
 from the body, as well as a gold  
 ring worth \$5.

Her husband, Chan Shing, suf-  
 fered severely from a number of  
 chopper cuts. He is, however, be-  
 lieved not to be in any great danger.

### LANTAO TRAGEDY.

AMERICAN GIRL DRWNED  
 NEAR CAMP

Jean Lucille Snyder, five-year-  
 old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.  
 Paul Snyder, of the American  
 Presbyterian Mission, met her  
 death under tragic circumstances  
 on Lantau Peak on Friday after-  
 noon.

It appears that Jean and her  
 playmate May Thompson, 6, had  
 strayed from the mission camp to  
 the pool, which is situated about  
 150 yards from the house, about  
 12.30 p.m. Jean seated herself on  
 a rock and slipped over into the  
 water, striking her head as she  
 fell. She sustained slight concus-  
 sion.

With great difficulty, her play-  
 mate pulled her out, and growing  
 alarmed when Jean did not speak,  
 she ran to tell her father.

Tai O police station was imme-  
 diately informed and No. 2 launch  
 was summoned to convey the body  
 to Hongkong, arriving in the even-  
 ing. The coffin was later trans-  
 ferred to the night boat for Can-  
 ton, where the funeral took place  
 yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder reside at  
 Pak Hok Tung, across the river  
 from Canton. The greatest sym-  
 pathy will be felt for them in  
 their bereavement.

### OBITUARY

FUNERAL OF YOUNG LADY  
 MISSIONARY

The funeral of Miss Margaret  
 Schlag, who was fatally burned at  
 Cheung-chau on Friday, took place  
 at the Protestant Cemetery at  
 Happy Valley, on Saturday  
 afternoon, the occasion afford-  
 ing opportunity for a large  
 number of foreign missionaries  
 and other residents to pay  
 their last respects to the de-  
 ceased lady. Amongst those  
 present were the German Consul,  
 Herr Gipperich, Rev. F. Diehl  
 (Superintendent of the Rhenish  
 Mission), Rev. W. Kempgen, Rev.  
 W. Grundmann, Rev. Bogdan and  
 other members of the Rhenish  
 Mission; Rev. Wong Oi-tong  
 (Chinese Pastor of the Rhenish  
 Church, Bonham Road); Mr. C.  
 Beltzer, Dr. Paul Diehl, M. D.,  
 Rev. Mr. Burkwell (Superintendent  
 of the British and Foreign Bible  
 Society); other members of the  
 missionary colony at Cheung  
 Chau; representatives of the  
 Basel and Berlin Missions; and  
 Chinese members of the Rhenish  
 Church.

The Superintendent of the  
 Rhenish Mission (Rev. F. Diehl)  
 performed the last services, and  
 the Rev. Wong Oi-tong, at the  
 close, delivered a short peroration  
 in Chinese in the life and work  
 of the deceased lady.

### FRIEND OF RHODES.

Late Mauritius Secretary  
 Dies in London.

London, Aug. 6.  
 The death has occurred of Sir  
 Graham John Bower, at the age  
 of 85.—Our Own Correspondent.

The late Sir Graham Bower,  
 who was born in Ireland in 1848,  
 was a son of Admiral James  
 Paterson Bower. During the  
 famous gold period in Australia,  
 he visited New South Wales, and  
 there married Maude Laidley  
 Mitchell. He entered the Royal  
 Navy in 1861, serving continuous-  
 ly until 1880, when he was ap-  
 pointed in South Africa Private  
 Secretary to Sir Hercules Robinson  
 (a former Governor of Hongkong).

He retired with the rank of  
 Commander in 1884, when he be-  
 came Imperial Secretary to the  
 High Commissioners for South  
 Africa. In 1898 he was appointed  
 Colonial Secretary at Mauritius,  
 where he acted as Officer Ad-  
 ministering the Government on  
 four occasions. He retired from  
 his position as Colonial Secretary  
 in 1910.

Sir Graham Bower was closely  
 associated with the famous Cecil  
 John Rhodes in the Jameson  
 Raid in 1896.

The late Sir Graham Bower is  
 survived by a son, Commander  
 John G. Bower, D. S. O., who re-  
 tired from the Navy in 1931. He  
 was a submarine officer and was  
 serving on the staff of the Rear-  
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 prior to his promotion.

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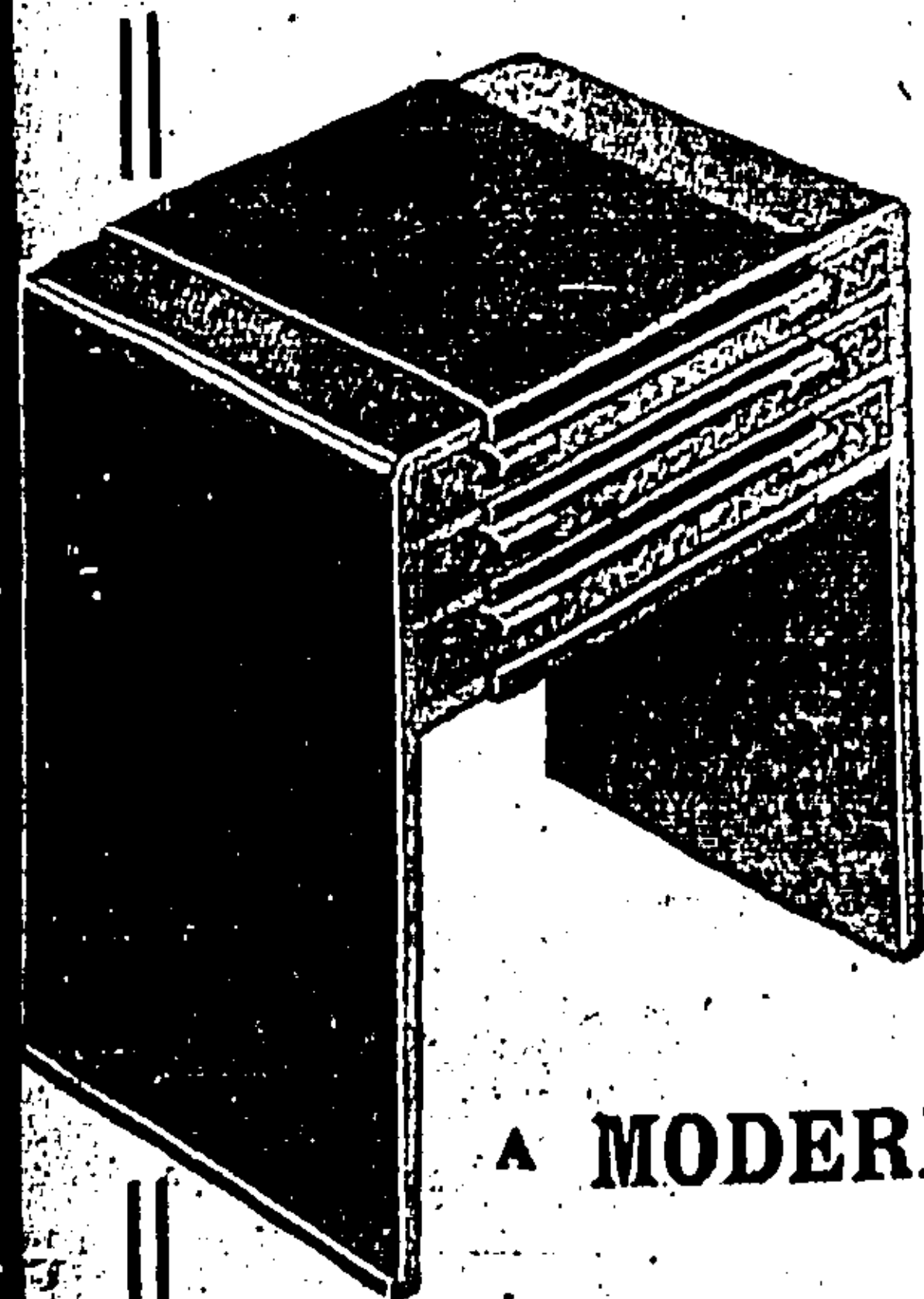
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## BIRTH.

McBRIDE.—At the War Memorial Nursing Home on the 5th August, 1933, to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McBride, a daughter.

The  
Hongkong Telegraph.

MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1933.

BRITISH TRADE  
WITH SOVIET

Negotiations for a new commercial treaty between Britain and Soviet Russia are proceeding smoothly and there is ground for hoping that they will soon lead to the conclusion of an agreement much less one-sided than that which the British Government denounced nine months ago and which came to an end on April 17. The old agreement had been made on the model of the agreements with other countries, where, as with us, buying and selling are matters of individual judgment and inclination. It took no account of the fact that in Russia all trade and industry is a monopoly of the State. There was less excuse for this since the leaders of the Communist Party in Russia had never made any secret of the advantages in international intercourse which they hoped to secure from this monopoly. The "Soviet Encyclopaedia," for example, writing on the monopoly of foreign trade, boasts that: "It allows us to increase or decrease our trade with this or that country, to influence the world market by withholding or dumping upon it enormous consignments of export goods, and facilitates manoeuvring when we are placing our orders abroad. With a candour which is not uncommon in Soviet utterances intended for home consumption, it adds that 'fluctuations in the placing of our orders are often dictated by political motives.' The need for special safeguards in trading with a gigantic State monopoly run on these principles is now recognised by all except the few who still hold that the only economic wisdom is to buy always in the cheapest market, no matter how temporary that cheapness is likely to be or how ruinous it may prove in the long run, and no matter, as in the case of Russian timber, at what price in human suffering that cheapness is purchased. The trade agreement with the Russian monopoly in any case required to be thoroughly revised and recast, if only because it had become a complete anomaly in present circumstances. The new organisation of home markets and the adoption of the quantitative principle clearly entailed some such change as was in view in the negotiations that are now in progress. If they succeed in balancing monopoly advantage on the Russian side with equitable marketing arrangements on this side, they

## NOTES OF THE DAY

The fate of Europe may very well hang upon Herr Hitler's response to the Franco-British demarche drawing attention to Germany's undertakings to respect the territorial integrity of Austria. The representations are couched in the friendliest terms insofar as unasked for advice can ever be friendly, but it is nevertheless impossible to hide the fact that a very important principle is at stake. Once again, Herr Hitler's statesmanship is being tested; again he is invited to reveal the real nature of his foreign policy. The answer will be regarded as a clue to the future. An ill-considered step may easily cause an alarming reaction. Strain and friction will be exacerbated. Any feeling of confidence still existing will disappear. Herr Hitler cannot be insensitive to his responsibilities. Continued threat to Austria can only provoke anxiety in every country whose borders touch upon those of Germany and the creation of that atmosphere would be disastrous.

## ITALY'S CAUTION

Italy's disinclination to join with Britain and France in their approach to Germany is easily understood. Italy is definitely an interested party and no official action by Rome could fail to be interpreted except as a clear indication of that interest. Mussolini is in the rather curious position of being an out-and-out nationalist whose last desire is to see the development of his own type of supra-nationalism so uncomfortably close to his own boundary-line. He is definitely with Britain and France in their objective, but has learned the prudence which, quietly, he urges upon Herr Hitler.

## DANZIG PEACE

The Danzig situation meanwhile has undergone a distinct improvement. Unfortunately, it would not be accurate to observe in the negotiations now proceeding between the Nazi Volkstag and the Polish Government, an era of sweet reason among the Hitlerites. The removal of the bitterness which has been caused by Poland's development of Gdynia as a rival port to Danzig will ease political tension in the Corridor appreciably. This is not Hitlerite policy. It is merely confirmatory of the claim of Dr. Raushning, the Nazi leader in Danzig, that he owes no allegiance to Berlin.

## THE CANADIAN LOAN

The Canadian loan floated in London last week with spectacular success, the lists being closed in one minute, is considered of great political and financial importance since for twenty years past Canada has always borrowed from New York. In consequence, Canada has been importing goods to the equivalent value from the United States. By borrowing instead in London, Canada accentuates her "solidarity with the British Empire," supports the stability of Empire currencies and contributes to the amelioration of unemployment in England. Both Britain and Canada have reason to feel pleased with the result.

## THE BEST IN TENNIS

Although their final defeat will leave Englishmen with a feeling of disappointment, the fighting qualities and the brave recovery made by the English Wightman Cup team against America during the week-end takes the edge off the defeat. Nobody will deny the American players the merits of their success; a success which became assured as a result of Friday's matches. In fact, it will be generally recognised that in face of one or two upsetting incidents such as the enforced withdrawal through sickness of Mrs. Wills-Moody and Miss Alice Marble, the winners displayed a tenacity which brought its own reward. Thus the encounter produced the best in tennis. Good sportsmanship, courage and determination were the foremost for the English players.

## SHOULD THERE BE

A RETIRING AGE FOR  
SPORTSMEN?

ASKS ROBERT LYND

Lord Burghley's retirement from athletics at the age of 28 naturally leads one to reflect in the traditional fashion how sad it is that the physical powers begin to decline long before men have begun even to be middle-aged.

According to Lord Burghley, he already finds that it takes him longer and longer every year to train into perfect fitness. The stiffness of age begins, however faintly, almost in youth. Men become veterans in many sports at an age at which they are promising young men in business or politics.

On the whole, I do not think we need be excessively saddened by this early decline of physical vigour by the fact that the eye becomes less sure, the body less agile, the limbs less swift while men are still young.

THE PRICE  
OF PROGRESS.

We probably owe to this loss of vigour the intellectual progress of the human race. If men continued to enjoy complete physical fitness till the age of 80 or even of 70, we should see three-quarters of the middle-aged and aged population neglecting their duties in order to get into form for Saturday's football match or for next week's big cricket match.

Silver-haired clergymen would again and again forget to turn up for the marriages of their parishioners because they were on the river tugging at the car like demons so as to be fit for the annual regatta. Doctors' telephone-bells would often ring in vain because the doctors, even the septuagenarians, would be tackling and tumbling each other on the Rugby practice-ground.

Many an elderly judge would be found missing from the Bench because he was away playing cricket for his county under an assumed name. Big business men, instead of discussing business with their clients, would be constantly inviting them into the next room for a bout with the gloves.

I do not mean to suggest that sport is quite so absorbing as this to-day, even among the enthusiastic young. But the chief reason why it is not so absorbing is that every young man knows that physical fitness does not last a lifetime and that he must find something else to do besides playing games in order to occupy his later years.

WHY I LEFT  
FOOTBALL.

The realisation that a time will come—and will come fairly soon—when they will no longer be able to play cricket or football is a great spur to intellectual effort. Without that spur many men would be tempted to postpone till a much later period than at present the time for beginning to take life seriously.

I feel that if I myself had not retired from sport at an early age I should have found it very difficult, if not impossible, to make a living in later life. Shamefully as I neglected my work, I should have neglected it still more shamefully because I should have done nothing but play and think about and talk about football and cricket the whole time.

It was not, I may say, however, owing to a decline of physical fitness that I retired from Rugby football. Physical fitness was a

thing that I never even began to achieve. I retired from Rugby football simply because I found that, when I played, I merely got in the way of the other players. Both the players on my own side and of the other fell over me, often in heaps. If our fastest three-quarter—then called a half-back—was racing towards the line with an excellent chance of scoring, I would be sure to be somewhere where he would trip over me or, at least, would lose a yard or two in trying to miss me. Similarly, if a three-quarter on the other side was running like a demon for our line, I was constantly found, much against my will, in the way of the man who could have tackled him.

I realised before long that my side would have a much better chance of winning with 14 men than if it had 15 including me. Hence, I withdrew to a position behind the touchline from which I afterwards helped many a team to victory by an inordinate use of lung-power.

HOW I  
GAVE UP CRICKET.

My retirement from cricket did not occur till later. Is it a day-dream, or did it really happen that at the age of 15 I scored five runs 2nd Balleney against 2nd Balleney? I think it must be a day-dream, because I very seldom scored five runs. Many a blind swipe I took at the ball, which would often have gone for a full six if the bat had hit it. But the bat hit the ball with extraordinary rarity.

As a fielder at mid-off again, I found balls hitting me on the chest, the head and other parts of the body, when everybody else thought I should have caught them. When I bowled the batsmen complained that I hurled the ball at their heads, though my only fault was that I was not very good at aiming at the wicket.

Here, too, I soon realised, graceful retirement was the only course open to me, and I felt both happier and more efficient keeping the score-sheet for my elders and handing round bottles of stout to the players during the lunch interval.

Fortunate though my early retirement from sport was for me, I do not suggest that my example should be universally followed. The retiring age that is good for one man is not the retiring age that is good for another. One loves to think of Grace playing cricket at 60, and Woolley has shown this year that a cricketer of genius is not too old at 47. Most Rugby men do not feel fit for the rigour of the game much after 30, though there have been great players several years older than that. As for golf, Mr. Michael Scott showed that he was fitter than any of his juniors the other day when, at the age of 55, he won the British Amateur Championship.

It is well, as I have said, however, that supreme physical fitness does not last nearly so long for the ordinary man. It is a good thing that nature forces us quite early in life to concentrate our ambitions on something besides games. Who would be a Prime Minister if he had a chance of being an international footballer? Who would devote the chief part of his energies to sitting in a court judging thieves and blackmailers if he had a chance of being chosen to play for his country in a Test Match? Sport is glorious, but it is desperately distracting.

The Very Idea!  
OUR HIGHWAYS

By E. Kelly, Roads Scholar

LIFE is just one darn thing after another, as the hen said to the rooster.

Last week we had to write about a coal dump. This week, we've got to write about the asphalt roads.

It makes us feel tarred of life.

In fact, the only thing that's keeping us going is the opening of the Brewery on Wednesday. Probably the P.W.D. will get to hear about it though, and we'll no longer be able to keep going.

Once the P.W.D. gets to hear about things, it doesn't take them long to dig up the roads. With most of our roads in Hongkong it's "Here to-day and gone to-morrow."

Motorists have to put up with a lot in Hongkong. We know it, because we're a motorist, when we have enough money to buy an occasional gallon of juice.

About the hardest people in Hongkong to get credit from are the bowser gangs.

It's juice too had the way they turn us down.

Not that pedestrians haven't got a strong case. Most often it is made of polished oak with silver fittings.

We are always careful about pedestrians when we are driving Matilda, because you can never tell whether one of them hasn't got a bottle in his hand. If it broke it would puncture our tyres.

In view of the present worldwide financial crisis, which has already hit Edward Kelly, this would mean Matilda going into immediate retirement.

We are always careful with girls in our car, too. No girl has ever had to walk home after accepting an offer of a lift in Matilda.

Editor's note: Sounds a bit fishy to me!

Eddie's note: Yes, it reminds us of the remark Mrs. Fish made to Mr. Fish, "If Eustace," she said, "be kind to our herring daughter."

Speaking of fish reminds us how dry we are. We've got to do something about next Wednesday. So we'll have a "whiskey soda." In fact, we'll have two whiskeys. And while we're about it we may as well have a third.

Just as a night-cap we think we'll have a fourth.

And soda bed.

## THAT DACTO-THING

The Editor has handed this insult to us instead of throwing it into the w.p.b.

Dear Sir.—I must strongly protest at the proposal to cage Edward Kelly, and exhibit it at an auction of radios. It might be argued that the interest of the public must be maintained and satisfied, and certainly, Sir, this argument might possibly succeed if the exhibit were interesting. I will admit, Sir, that a Dactodidermus sounds interesting, but what's in a name?

That each new age brings fresh brutalities is a truth, and is amply evidenced by this entirely ignoble effort to procure and provide sensation and interest for the bloated aristocracy and fish-eyed gentility in our midst.

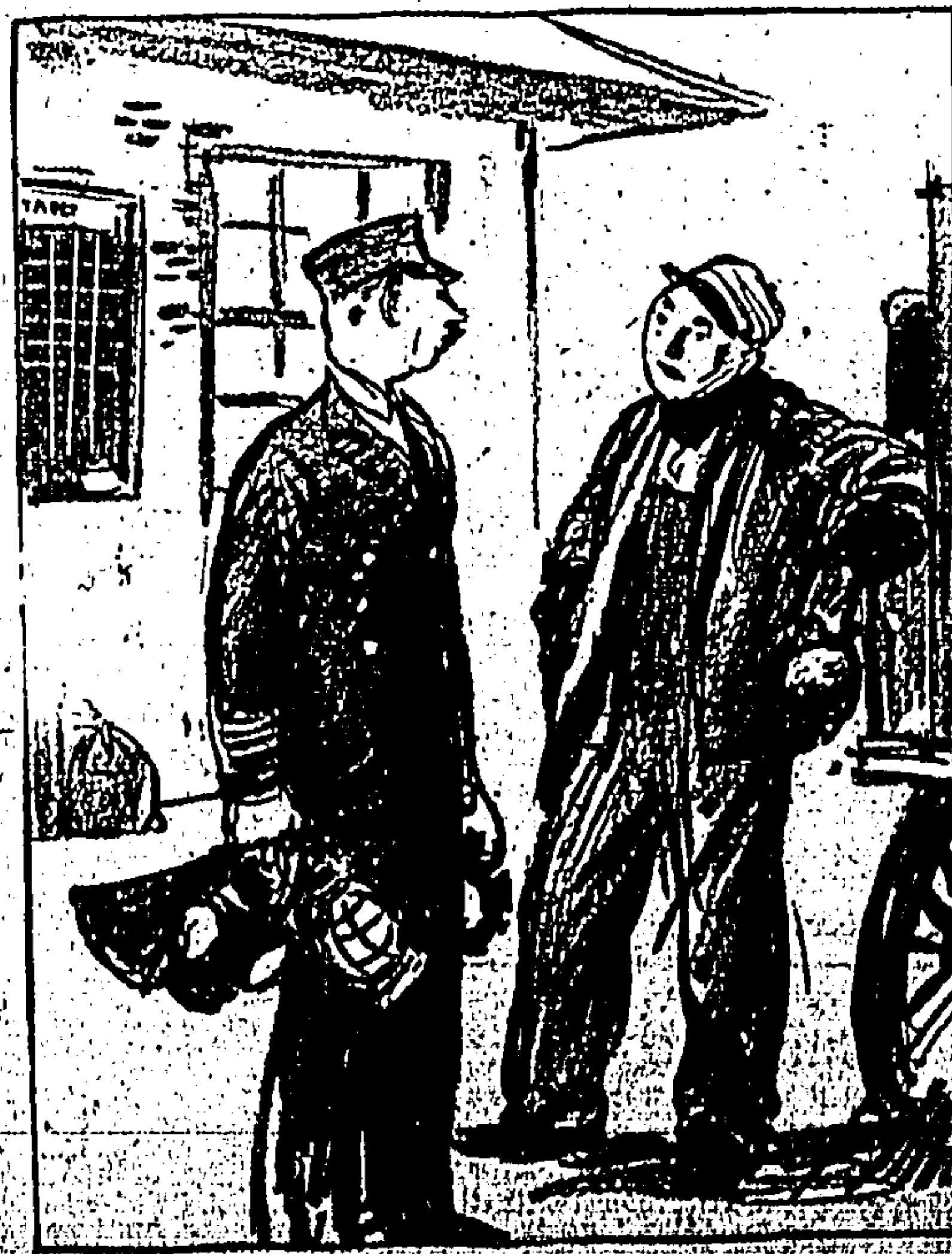
Far be it for me to cavil in any thing like an unseemly manner, but the fact is, Sir, that we pay far too much consideration to the bleary-eyed, over-eating, boozing, long-eared, misshapen, pot-bellied, generally ghastly-looking, foul-smelling, animal-minded, hopeless people about us. Words fail me.

Moreover, if I were not an English gentleman with the traditional Englishman's love for fair play (who threw that raspberry, Sir?) I would be compelled to express my feelings at this fresh brutality.

How many humans (ordinary) know that the Dactodidermus has no mother? Think of it—no mother! Does not that make your heart go out to poor Edward? Righteous indignation, Sir, is failing to find expression except from really great men, most of whom are dead, and between ourselves, Sir, I am seriously ill. But I cannot let this opportunity pass without making some endeavour to save one of the few specimens of a feature of animal life rapidly becoming extinct.

I appeal to Mr. Lamont. Do not let this go on. If Edward Kelly has to be caged, let it be in natural surroundings. A DACTODIDERMUS'S FRIEND.

We took this letter along to the S.P.C.A. after the Editor handed it to us, and they have agreed to the proposal in the last paragraph. We are shifting out to the Hong Kong Bazaar on Wednesday next.





## MADAM JOTTE

### Great Show By Recreio Players

Highly merited success attended the initial performance of the three-act musical comedy "Madam Jotte" presented by the Recreio Amateur Players at the Club do Recreio on Saturday night, to a hall packed to capacity. The show will be repeated to-night and on Wednesday.

Bright and peppy, with scintillating music and exotic beauty, "Madam Jotte" holds interest from the beginning to the final curtain. The costumes worn throughout are lavish. Outstanding in the first act, which has its setting in Maison Jotte, is the mannequin parade. This is the last word in beauty and glamour.

Heartiest congratulations are due to Mr. M. A. Carvalho and Mrs. A. W. da Roza, the co-producers, who have assembled together a highly competent cast of players.

The orchestra, under Mr. S. Pina, is splendid and adds in no small way to the success of the performance. Stage settings by Miss Marie Basto and Mr. A. V. Alves are good and congratulations are also due to Mr. O. P. dos Remedios, the stage manager.

In the Cafe Bohemia lounge scenes in the second and third act, the dancing numbers are excellent and in this line much credit is due to Miss Annabelle d'Almada e Castro, who plays the role of the head shop girl, and who arranged the dances. The Spanish dance was a riot of colour.

With such a competent cast of players it is indeed difficult to differentiate, but the acting of Leo d'Almada, Jun, who plays the title role of Madam Jotte, stands out as a brilliant piece of work. His interpretation of typical French mannerisms and delightful accent give the show its full measure of humour. Then there is G. F. d'Aquino, the popular radio artist. His partner in romance in the play is Miss Elsa Alves, herself a fine soprano, and the pair score repeatedly with their duets and solos.

A. W. da Roza, as Duke Boris, was excellent as were J. M. M. Alves as a retired banker (also a henpecked husband) and H. M. Britto, as General Crocker. J. Basto, as the waiter, was responsible for a delightful comedy dance.

Miss Edris d'Aquino won much favour with the audience with her sweet rendition of "The Duchess of Dreams." Carmen Botelho, who is cast in the role of Annabelle, wife of the banker, is excellent and her frequent use of the lorgnette gave rise to much laughter. Her rendition of "As You Desire Me" was splendid.

Olga Ribeiro and Sylvia dos Remedios, as staunch customers of Maison Jotte, excelled themselves and their acting was natural. The mannequins, shop girls and customers give bright support.

The consensus of opinion is—"Madam Jotte" is a great show.—E. McN.

**The Cast**  
Carmen Botelho, Elsa Ribeiro, Olga V. Ribeiro, Marilha Jorge, Annabelle d'Almada e Castro, Regina Ribeiro, Sylvia dos Remedios, Molly Remedios, Elsa D. Alves, Lucy Jorge, Edris d'Aquino, Nena Ribeiro, Olga Y. Ribeiro, Bertha Remedios, Aida Noronha, Molly d'Almada e Castro, Cynthia Remedios, Hilda Gaan.

Leo d'Almada e Castro, Jr. H. M. Britto, G. F. d'Aquino, H. M. Botelho, J. M. M. Alves, A. Rodrigues, A. W. da Roza, Leo da Silva, Jose Basto, H. A. Barros.

**Mannequins:**—Olga Ribeiro, Aida Noronha, Cynthia Remedios, Elsa Ribeiro, Marilha Jorge, Regina Ribeiro.

**Dancers:**—Molly d'Almada e Castro, Annabelle d'Almada e Castro, Hilda Gaan.

**Shop Girls:**—Molly Remedios, Lucy Jorge, Nena Ribeiro, Bertha Remedios.

**Customers:**—Clay Noronha, H. A. Barros, H. M. Botelho, A. Rodrigues, Leo da Silva.

**The Orchestra.**  
Mrs. A. W. da Roza, L. A. Sequeira, E. A. R. Alves, R. Gutierrez, G. Osmond, H. Gabriel, F. A. Sequeira, J. R. Sultzer, Ed Sequeira, Noel Botelho, P. N. Sequeira.

**The Production.**  
Musical Director.... Mr. S. Pina.  
Stage Manager.... Mr. O. P. dos Remedios.  
Scenery..... Miss Marie Basto.  
Costumes..... Mrs. A. V. Alves.  
Miss P. M. dos Remedios.  
Properties..... Miss Marie Basto.  
Publicity Manager.... Mr. G. F. d'Aquino.  
Business Manager.... Mr. Fred A. Xavier.  
Producers.... Mrs. A. W. da Roza, Mr. M. A. Carvalho.

## FROM JONAH'S TO MASCOTS

### GIRL APPRENTICES SHOW PLUCK

### HELP TO WIN GRAIN RACE

London. How two apprentice girls turned from "Jonah's" into mascots, is a story which is told rather begrudgingly by the sailors of the windjammer Parma.

Last year the Parma won the Australian grain race for large windjammers.

This year, when they left Australia with two girls on board, the crew was convinced that if ever they arrived in England at all, it would surely be last.

But the unexpected happened. They won. The vessel made Cape Horn—a distance of 7,000 miles—in 23 days. Their journey from Spencer Gulf to the English Channel was the fastest ever made under sail.

Girls are perhaps mascots after all—but still.... they are bad luck. They brought the ship in too quick and we got no pay.

As for the girls, despite all the hardships of such a voyage, they enjoyed it.

And plenty of hardships there were too—the rolling breakers of the Southern Atlantic, cold hours of dawn spent in the rigging exposed to biting icy winds, and the unappetising fare of sailors.

But the worst thing of all was shark flesh. They even preferred salted horse to that.—*Reuter.*

### JAPANESE NAVAL WAR GAMES

(Continued from Page 1.)

hama on August 25, when the Emperor will inspect the Navy after personally supervising the manoeuvres from about the middle of the month.

**NEW ORDERS.**

Meanwhile, the largest naval estimates in Japanese history have been submitted to the finance ministry for the 1934 annual budget. The estimates include 180,000,000 yen for construction of new ships and 75,000,000 yen for modernization of capital ships.

For the year beginning in April, 1934, the navy ministry wants 680,000,000 yen, which is 30 per cent greater than the largest previous estimate, which was for the year 1921-22.

**THREE FACTORS.**

Naval authorities believe that three motivating factors have caused the ministry to ask for the large budget. First is President Roosevelt's naval programme which contemplates building the United States Navy up to the limit allowed by the London conference; second, Japan's diplomatic isolation resulting from friction with several occidental powers due to the Manchurian situation; third, Japan's desire to enter the 1935 conference with a fleet built up to the limit allowed by the London treaty, to permit her to demand parity with the United States and Great Britain.

### PICKETING IN INDIA

#### SEQUEL TO ARREST OF MAHATMA GANDHI

London, Aug. 5.

Following the sentence of Gandhi to one year simple imprisonment for disobeying the order requiring him to reside in Poona and to refrain from political activities and the suspension of the civil disobedience the Congress men and five women who announced their intention to picket the foreign section of the cloth market were arrested.

Merchants inside the market continued their business, contrary to previous custom, when the arrest of pickets was usually the signal for a strike.—*British Wireless.*

### DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THE WORLD LOVES A SPICE OF WICKEDNESS.—*Bias.*

The s.s. "Bhutan" left Singapore for this Port on the 6th instant at 6 a.m. and is due here on the 10th instant at about noon.

The R.M.S. "Empress of Japan" will leave here for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu at noon on the 11th August.

Believed to be one of three men "wanted" in connection with the brutal murder by armed robbers of a man.

Dr. J. C. Geiger, Director of Public Health for the city and county of San Francisco, who will take "Public Health" as his subject.

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## LOST ATLANTIS

### German Scientist's Investigations

Professor Albert Hermann, the well known geographical explorer, has just made sensational discoveries in the Shot-el-Djerid salt deserts south of Tripoli from which the archaeologist and historian is entitled to derive interesting conclusions. In the course of the last few weeks archaeological research concerning the oldest human civilisations was crowned by immense success, and in connection herewith the much discussed problem of the mysterious wonder-world Atlantis is anew occupying the minds of scientists. The valuable research work undertaken in its time by Professor Frobenius on Tripolitan territory, Professor Hermann's archaeological finds drawn from the arid sand of the Shot-el-Djerid and the ancient treasures detected in the alluvial regions of the Indus, are from the scientist's point of view closely connected. It can be irrefutably asserted that these most ancient pre-historic civilisations were in many respects equal in rank with the foremost human civilisations of the historical ages.

**ANCIENT CIVILISATION.**

A busy crowd of skilled workmen is searching and digging in arid deserts, blowing up rocks with dynamite; all kinds of debris and rubbish are forcibly removed in order to detect in the depth of the earth the trace of ancient flourishing civilisations. Such toilsome research work is simultaneously undertaken in various parts of the world. In the interior of Asia as well as on the icy plains of Siberia traces of once mighty empires were found; the latest archaeological discoveries made in Mexico and South America point to close affinity with the old civilisation of the Mongolians and Egyptian art. On the island of Madagascar scientists are endeavouring to trace Lemuria, one of the possible cradles of the human races. The most striking discoveries, however, were recently made in Northern Africa and Asia, particularly in the alluvial regions of the Indus. These valuable finds throw new light on pre-historic archaeology and possibly also on geography and geology.

Our present civilisation marked by the technical achievements of the machine age, is based upon the results reached by preceding civilisations. Thus, retrogressing from generation to generation, we are also to follow the thread almost to the beginning of times.

Professor Frobenius reports that his last successful expedition to Northern Africa proves the existence of flourishing empires far beyond the earliest phases of the historical age. The main pre-historic civilisations were surely not inferior to our present European civilisation.

**CARVED STATUES.**

About 500 miles south of Tripoli Prof. Frobenius found in former riverbeds, since centuries filled up with sand and gravel, several thousand stone carved statues, partly colossal figures, of fine workmanship and perfect design. Ages ago there was a mighty flourishing empire on this now arid site; these works of art, roughly estimated, 12,000 years old, represent the last visible traces of the ancient Fessan civilisation.

Scientists have reiterated pointed to the fact that Plato erroneously placed the ancient marvellous wonderland Atlantis in the Atlantic Ocean.

Plato, however, did not invent this theory but merely referred to Solon who based his statement on ancient Egyptian traditions. We can now categorically assert that Atlantis, an Empire and a Metropolis of the same name, was not situated between Europe and South America but in Northern Africa. This theory for the first time proclaimed by Prof. Borchardt, has been confirmed by the discoveries of Professor Frobenius, and finally the geographical and geological researches of Prof. A. Hermann furnished practically irrefutable evidence that the "Atlantic Sea"

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**SENSATIONAL RESULTS.**

Albert Hermann failed twice before reaching such sensational results. He found traces of destroyed ancient cities and settlements, but they were in no way connected with Atlantis. He searched fruitlessly around the Oasis of Oudrof and north of Kalibi, and it was only this year when pushing further south that he was so immensely successful.

A precisely circular hill was found there by Prof. Hermann exactly corresponding in shape to Plato's account. The excavations were greatly impeded by nature, sandstorms being in those regions of frequent occurrence. It would have been imperative to remove the sand and rubbish by mighty sucking machines. In spite of such difficulties Albert Hermann did wonderfully. In his report he furnishes convincing evidence that the mystery of the Atlantes who taught the ancient Egyptians and Greeks astronomy and the art of writing, has come nearer solution than ever. The wonders of the Shot-el-Djerid therefore offer the historian unforeseen possibilities. A clue is found for tracing the early history of the Pelasgians; the fabulous copper towns in the south have become more than a fantastic fable. If these reports are confirmed, we gain knowledge of one of the world's oldest and highest civilisations by the influence of which the Interior of Africa and the region of the Mediterranean were fertilized.

**DEAD CITY.**

Near Harappa and Mohenjodaro in the alluvial regions of the Indus a whole dead city has been brought to light owing to the initiative of Sir John Marshall. The existence of this city in the valley of the Indus proves convincingly that the founders of this ancient metropolis were not Indians, this civilisation being of much older date.

In those remote pre-historic times there must have been anti-factory means of communication between Northern Africa and India; the respective mentioned regions were ages ago situated within the moderate climatic zone. Fertile plains stretched on the site of the arid salt deserts, and a high civilisation was created by a dark skinned race.

Astounding finds were discovered in the Mohenjodaro district: buildings several stories high, a regular street draining system and perfect water supply installations. Swimming basins are to be found there with single basins for private use 18 yards in length, 11 yards wide and 4½ deep. The traces of a steam bath were also found here with heated floor and heating tubes led through the walls. And everywhere artful representations of animals and human images and here and there artfully carved stone statues. All this splendour was found by the aryan conquerors of India about 2000 B.C.

**EXPLANATION OF DECAY.**

No civilisation decays, no empire is wiped out unless some formidable physical force is at work. To detect the nature of such force is the searching scientist's task. Whether we base our theory on geological changes, the destructive force of the waves and the changing aspect of coastal formations we must always bear in mind that the face of the earth is permanently changing. Nature is never idle. Mighty floods, volcanic eruptions are the forces of nature that destroy human structures apparently made for eternity; seas are dried up, mountains disappear, the connections between continents cease to exist.

Such catastrophic physical forces were at work when the moon became the satellite of our planet. New laws of gravity came into force, causing most violent geological changes; huge quantities of water flooded the earth round the equator, our planet had to find its newly balanced equilibrium. The North Pole situated during the moonless epoch in Central Greenland assumed its present position. The consequence of the change of our planet's balance was the transfer of regions situated on a northern latitude of 38 to 40 degrees to a northern latitude of only 20 to 25 degrees, and as a result hereof the moderate climatic zone of the moonless period became almost tropical. The Fessan must ages ago have had similar climatic conditions like Messina or Lisbon. Owing to the appearance of the moon this empire was transferred to the hot zone.

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## RADIO BROADCAST

### TO-DAY'S BROADCAST

#### CHINESE CONCERT.

6-6.30 p.m. Variety.  
Orchestra—I Like Mountain Music.  
Orchestra—When It's Lamplight Time in the Valley.  
The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.

Humorous Song—Dear Old Fashioned Thing.

Humorous Song—Seven Vells.

Organ Solo—Pleading.

Organ Solo—Devotion.

Descriptive Sketch—Another Day's Broadcasting.

Clapham and Dwyer. DB1069.

Piano Solo—How That You're Gone.

Piano Solo—Can't We Talk It Over.

Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends. DB803.

6.30-7.10 p.m. Musical Comedy.

Selection—On With the Show, 1929.

Selection—Casanova.

Vocal Duet—The New Moon—Wanting You.

Evelyn Laye and Chorus. 9752.

Selection—Cavalade.

Selection—A Country Girl.

Columbia Light Opera Company. DX73.

7.10-8 p.m. Concert Items.

Song—I Want Your Heart.

(Carter and Haydn Wood).

Song—Love Everlasting (Gushing and Friml).

Ina Souez (Soprano). DB839.

Piano Solo—La Campanella (Liszt).

Mischia Levitski. 2039-M.

Vocal Octette—Studies in Imitation (arr. Hughes).

Vocal Octette—The Keys of Heaven (arr. Button).

London Male Voice Octette. DX89.

Violin Solo—Air Russe (Wienlawski).

Rene Benedetti. 50284-D.

Song—The Three Comrades (Bernhoff-Hermann).

Song—Friend (Sassin and Davies).

Mostyn Thomas (Baritone). DX234.

Piano Solo—Three Ecossaises (Chopin).

Piano Solo—Rondo Brilliant (Weber).

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.30-10.30 p.m. Chinese Concert from the Studio.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.

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### KZRM PROGRAMME.

To-day's Broadcast from Manila:

6 p.m.—Ten Dance Programme.

San Juan Cabaret Orchestra, conducted by Victor Reyes.

6.10 p.m.—Spanish International Period.

6.30 p.m.—English International Period.

7 p.m.—Dinner Music—Pres. Cleveland Orchestra.

7.30 p.m.—Lyric Music House Programme—Johnny Harris and the Seller Grand.

7.45 p.m.—Recitations by Charles F. Lindsey.

8 p.m.—Botica Boie Programme.

8.15 p.m.—Macondray & Co. Programme—Henry Muller.

8.45 p.m.—Stock Quotations.

8.55 p.m.—Band Concert—Philippine Constabulary Band.

9.30 p.m.—Opera Hour.

10.30 p.m.—Close down.

### BRITISH WAR GRAVES.

#### SECRETARY OF STATE FOR WAR VISITS YPRES

London, Aug. 5.

The Secretary of State for War, Lord Hallam, left London yesterday to visit the British War Cemetery in France and Belgium. He was accompanied by Lady Hallam and Sir Fabian Ware, the Vice Chairman of the Imperial War Graves Commission.

Lord Hallam reached Ypres from Calais last night and visited the Menin Gate Memorial. Tomorrow he will be present at a ceremony at Arras, which will be attended by delegates to the British Empire Service League Conference now assembled in London.—*British Wireless.*

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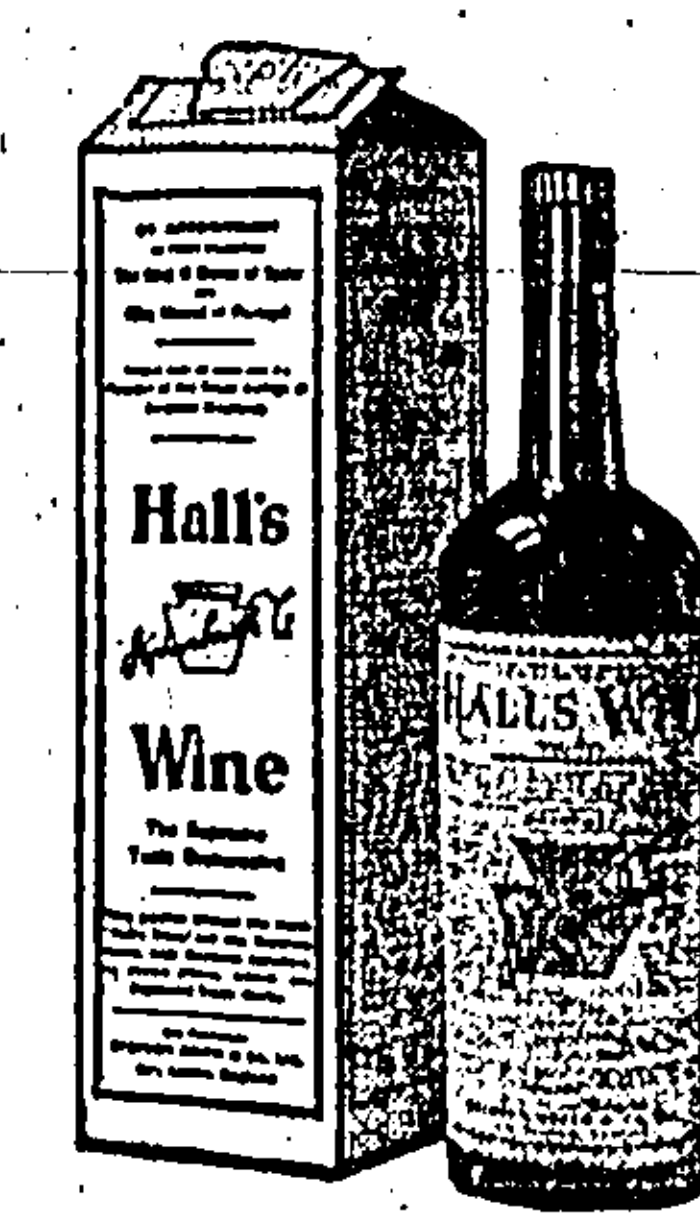
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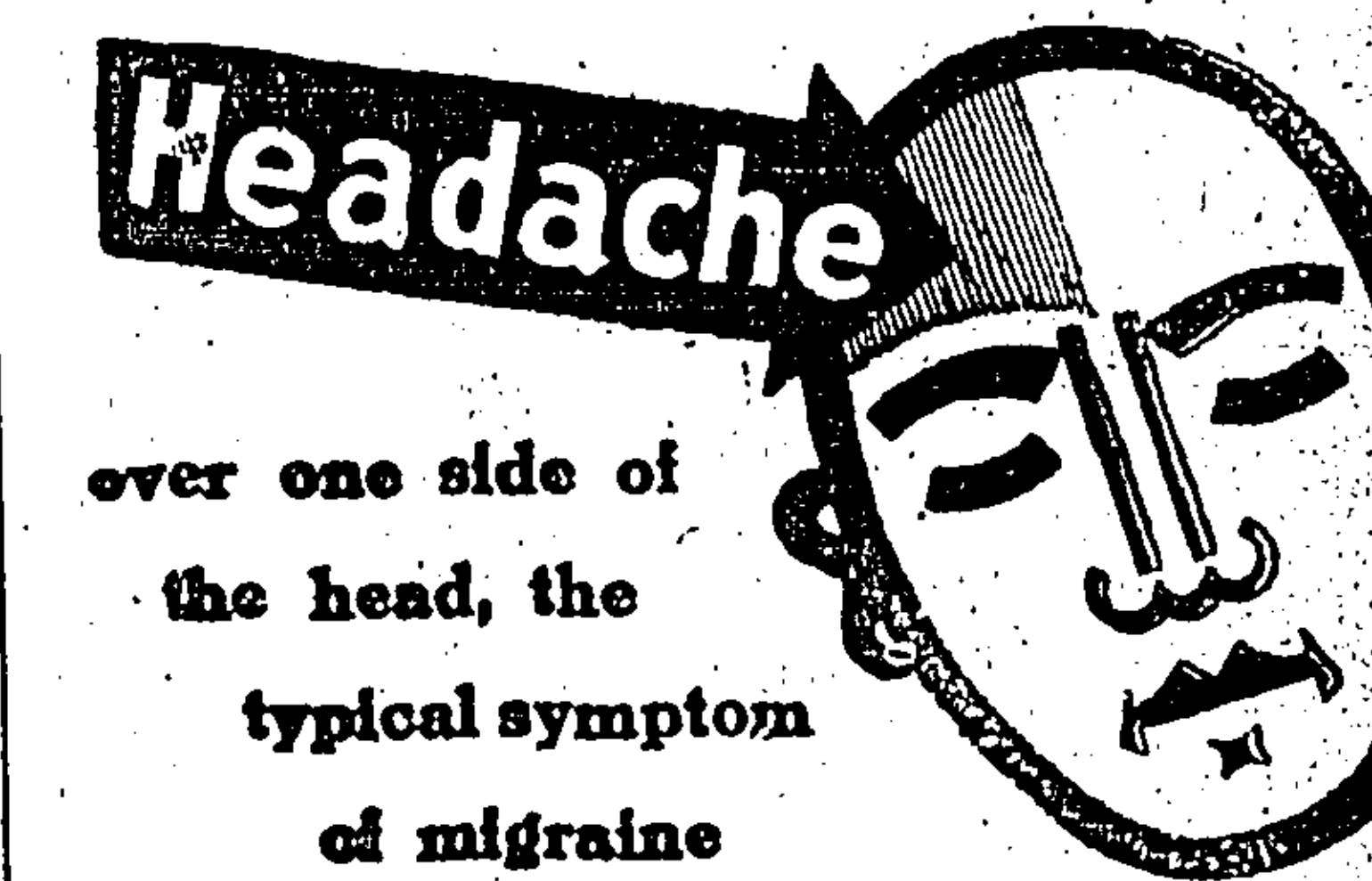


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## A SPECTACULAR FINISH

## POLAND LOSES TO ITALY

## WIGHTMAN CUP RECOVERY

## MISS SCRIVEN FAILS AT CRUCIAL TIME

NEW YORK, Aug. 5. Indication of English men's tennis came late in the Wightman Cup duel between England and America at Forest Hills, even then it was tempered by the final victory of the American players in four matches to three.

Nevertheless the greatness of recovery made by the English cannot be denied. Three in arrears after the first play, the position was sufficient to depress even the biggest player.

At the English girls went to task with magnificent determination and finally finished within four points of victory.

Nuthall, after an appalling indifferent start made post-England's continued interest in the cup. Converted the loss of the match against Miss Babcock into a victory. Outplayed in the set, she completely turned on her opponent and won the game even to record England's initial

## Dazzling Dorothy.

Dorothy Round crowned achievement by meeting Miss Palfrey at the top of her and winning.

Players drove fiercely from the net, but it was Miss Palfrey's stability from centre-court turned the game in her

Palfrey often scoring with her drives, had no respite for the English girl's volleyed smashing. It was the exhibition of the whole series to crowd rose to the clever

America's position was now any but secure. Everything depended on Miss Helen Jacobs and Margaret Scriven. It was almost essential that Miss Jacobs

win if American was to regain Wightman Cup. She accomplished but only losing led 5-3 in the final set.

Parting recovery by Miss Jacobs in the first set, when she set after being 2-5 in 5 indicated how severe would match.

A FINAL RALLY. Effort cost Miss Scriven a tedious amount of her physical and Miss Jacobs, keeping Miss Palfrey protracted, had only to errors to win the set.

More courageous play in the stanza kept interest at fever. Miss Scriven lost the first and then threw all she had winning the next three. An escape during which time Miss Scriven levelled to three-all was ended by a second big effort by English girl, who went to 5-3 of service on which to win the

Miss Jacobs, still holding in reserve, produced a series of withering shots which completely broke up her opponent. Miss Scriven lost the set to love and the end was sealed.

Of the interest in the final was therefore lost, but visitors, still on their mettle, made a mistake about the result.

Nuthall and Miss James and the full measure of Mrs. Scriven and Miss Alice Marble were comfortably in straight

final analysis therefore it was written that America's was due to the victories of Miss Helen Jacobs, proved herself an admirable player in place of Mrs. Moody.

From the losers' viewpoint, the disappointing result was in the first doubles. No fall had been played in the of the English girls in win

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## 490 FOR 1

## SUSSEX BATSMEN SPARKLE

## BOWLEY HITS 283; LANGRIDGE 195

LONDON, Aug. 5. Recording the third highest first wicket partnership in the annals of first class cricket, Ted Bowley and John Langridge of Sussex to-day thrashed the Middlesex attack at Brighton to put 490 runs on the board before separation.

They played exhilarating cricket, Bowley being especially severe. He scored 293 in 376 minutes, and included in his best scoring strokes were two sixes, a five and 23 fours.

Langridge, a little more labouring, yet just as confident, helped himself to 195 in 360 minutes and illuminated his innings with sixteen boundaries.—*Reuter*.

The two Sussex stalwarts were within 66 runs of creating a new record partnership.

EXISTING RECORD. The present best is 55 accumulated by Herbert Sutcliffe and Percy Holmes of Yorkshire against Essex at Leyton last year. The second best is 54 scored by J. T. Brown and J. Tunncliffe of Yorkshire against Derbyshire at Chesterfield in 1898.

Brighton has always been a happy hunting ground for the veteran Bowley.

In 1929 he was associated in a huge first wicket partnership with J. H. Parks.

Against Gloucester these two put on 368 for the first wicket before separation.

FRIC RAILTON'S FINE SWIM

WINS Y.M.C.A. 100 YDS. HANDICAP

SUCCESSSES FOR CHINESE

Eric Railton swam a very fine race to win the 100 yards handicap from H. Lange and W. Campbell at the Y.M.C.A. swimming gala on Saturday.

Other features of an enjoyable evening were the successes of the Chinese in the invitation relay race, the Combined Chinese winning them men's event and the Chinese Ladies emulating their example.

Results. The following were the full results: 200 Yards Team Race.

1. Combined Chinese—Chan Fook-sing (C.S.C.), Tsang Ho-fook (C.B.C.), Cheong Wing-kwong (S.C.A.A.) and Leung Shui-man (C.B.C.) (Captain).

2. Y.M.C.A.—E. W. Railton, R. B. Wood, H. Lange and B. Rasmussen.

200 Yards Ladies' Team Race. 1. Chinese Ladies—Misses Chan Woon-king (C.S.C.), Leung Wing-han (S.C.A.A.), Chan Yuk-fai (C.B.C.) and Young Sau-king (S.C.A.A.).

2. "Y" Ladies—Misses P. Scott-Harston, Mrs. P. McMahon, Miss D. Hunt and Mrs. A. C. Schreuder.

Men's 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap. Heat 1:—

1. S. Fowler 2. E. F. Silk 3. D. Sutherland Time: 31 secs.

Heat 2:—

1. R. Goldman 2. R. B. Wood 3. E. A. C. Schreuder Time: 28 1/5 secs.

Ladies' 50 Yards Aggregate Handicap. Heat 1:—

1. Miss M. Lane 2. Miss P. Scott-Harston 3. Miss Hunter Time: 48 7/10 secs.

Heat 2:—

1. Miss D. Hunt 2. Mrs. P. McMahon 3. Mrs. A. C. Schreuder Time: 55 3/5 secs.

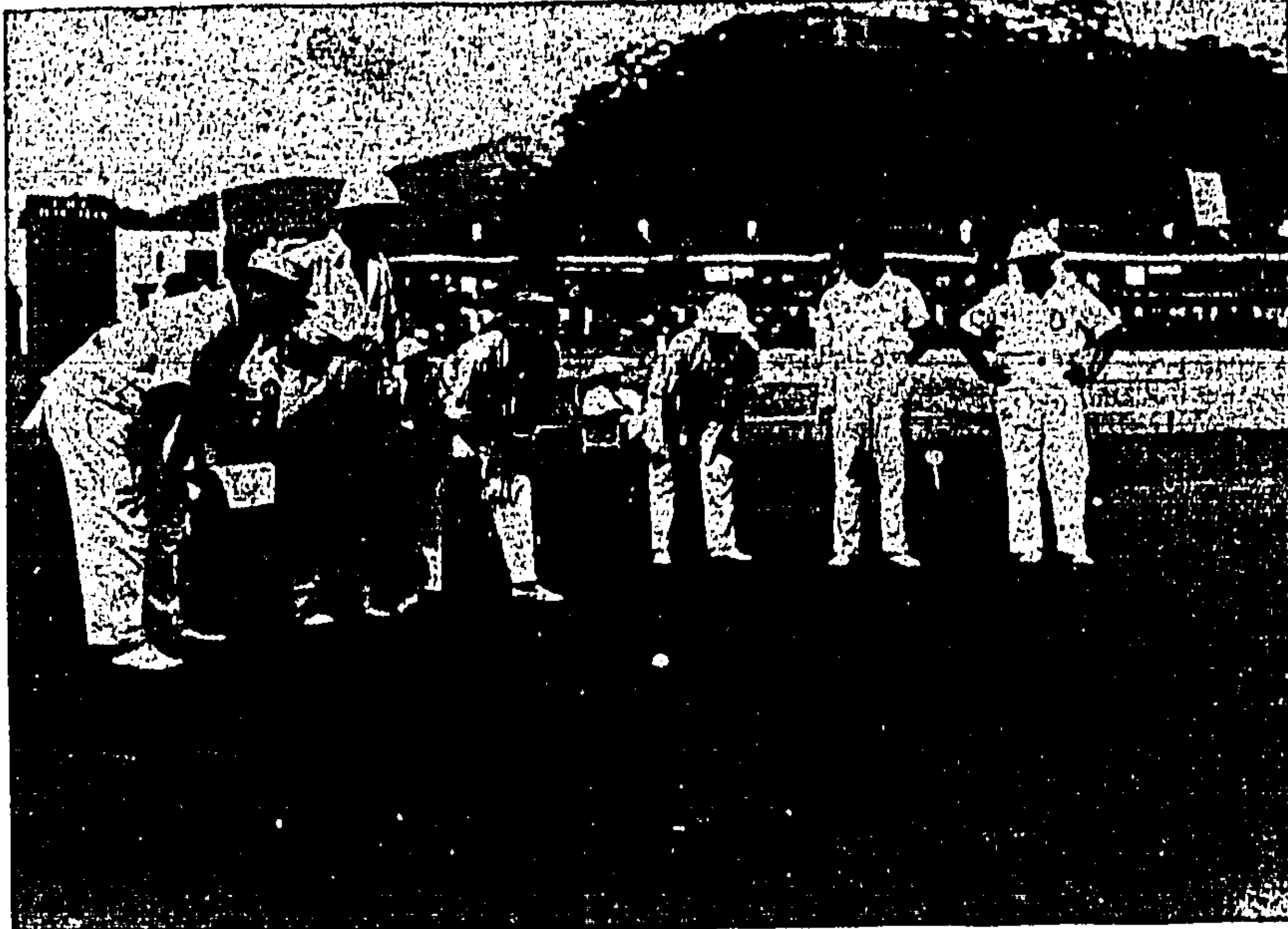
Under Water Swim (furthest distance). 1. C. Chadderton. 50 Yards. 2. N. Christensen. 49.2 Yards. 3. D. Sutherland. 30 Yards.

Men's 100 Yards Handicap: 1. E. W. Railton. 2. H. Lange. 3. W. Campbell Time: 60 2/5 secs.

C.B.C. GALA. The sixth monthly swimming gala of the Chinese Bathing Club will be held at North Point next Sunday, commencing at 2 p.m.

The following are the events which include one open event to affiliated Clubs of the H.K.L.A.S.A.: Men's 400 Metres Invitation Team Race (Four Men). Ladies' 300 Metres. Boys' (Under 15) 50 Metres Handicap.

Man's 50 Metres Club Championship. Men's 400 Metres Free Style. Ladies' 100 Metres Handicap. Mixed 50 Metres Team Race. Boys' 100 Metres (Walk to the end and back up back).



IS IT SHOT WOOD?—All eyes were on this wood as it approached the jack during one of the heads in the exciting Spey Royal lawn bowls match between Craigenower and K. C. C. yesterday. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

## CRAIGENGOWER IN SPEY CUP FINAL

## New Figure For 220 Yards

## ROZA-PEREIRA'S FINE SWIM

A new figure for the 220 yards handicap by L. Roza-Pereira, who covered the distance in 2 minutes 37 seconds—two-fifths of a second improvement on his previous best—was a feature of the swimming at the V.R.C. night fete on Saturday.

The Results. The full results are as follow: Boys' Race, 75 Yards Medley Handicap:

1. H. Gutierrez 2. C. N. da Silva 3. L. Osmund Time: 60 2/5 secs.

"C" Class, 75 Yards Medley Handicap:—

1. L. A. J. Silva 2. A. J. Basto 3. J. Figueredo Time: 62 1/5 secs.

"D" Class, 100 Yards Handicap:—

1. L. P. Silva 2. Leo. Silva 3. V. M. Nunes Time: 89 secs.

"A" and "B" Classes, 220 Yards Handicap:—

1. G. J. Smith 2. L. Roza-Pereira 3. A. A. Roza Time: 2 mins. 37 secs.

50 Yards Breast Stroke Handicap:—

1. E. M. Marques 2. H. M. Remedios and 3. T. Paget tied for second place Time: 37 secs.

50 Yards Back Stroke Handicap:—

1. C. M. C. Victor 2. T. Paget 3. L. Roza-Pereira Time: 39 secs.

220 Yards Invitation Relay Race:—

1. V.R.C. 2. Recrelo 3. Chinese Athletic Time: 1 min. 51 secs.

Diving (Sealed Handicap):—

1. Edward Roza 70 points 2. L. A. Roza 74 points 3. L. Roza-Pereira 62 points

25 Yards Novelty Race, (Ankles and wrists tied).—

1. L. J. Remedios 2. A. A. Roza 3. E. B. Roza Y.M.C.A. Gala.

THE ALPINE TRIAL. British Cars And Drivers Do Well.

TWO AWARDS MADE. London, Aug. 4. Two special cups for the best performances by women drivers in the International Alpine Trial have been awarded to Mademoiselle Sajoux (France) and Miss Champney (England).

Official results of the race will not be announced until tomorrow afternoon, but of the 54 British cars and drivers who started from Merano on July 31, 32 have finished in good condition.

When a German driver's car overturned 40 miles from the end of the race, three British drivers sacrificed their chances of award yesterday to assist the injured competitor.—*British Wireless*.

Norman Davis, the crack Shanghai jockey, and steeple-chase rider, and Paul Nether, brother of Tony Nether, the local rider, are visiting the colony. Both riders are expected to compete in the Keewick Cup next Saturday.

## BEAT K.C.C. BY TWO SHOTS.

## FINE DISPLAY OF LAWN BOWLS

## SKIPS IN KEEN DUELS

Craigengower Cricket Club have qualified for the final of the Spey Royal Cup.

Yesterday their rink, ably led by U. M. Omar defeated the Kowloon Cricket Club after a splendid game by 19 shots to 17, the result being in doubt up to the last head.

Fortunes varied throughout the game. Each rink assumed and lost the lead in turn, and eventually it depended on the ability of the skips to decide the issue.

J. Fraser held his own admirably against the clever Omar, but in the end had to give best.

Both were well supported by their colleagues, and the match, played on the Police Green, was easily the finest of the current competition to date.

Results: C.C.C. K.C.C. G. L. Buchanan E. C. Fincher B. W. Bradbury J. M. Jack H. Beer A. Hyde-Lay U. M. Omar J. Fraser (skip) 19 (skip) 17

RIFLE SHOOTING. All Comers' Open Sight Championship.

SEPTEMBER MEET. The Hongkong Rifle Club monthly shoot will take place on the Club range at Kowloon Tong on Saturday and Sunday, 12th and 13th August at 3.30 p.m. and 9.30 a.m. respectively.

The Hongkong 303 Open Sight Championship, which is open to all comers, will be held under the auspices of the Hongkong Rifle Club at the Kowloon Tong range on Saturday and Sunday, September 2 and 3 at 3.30 p.m. and 9 a.m. respectively.

Conditions.—Service rifle, open sights, slings optional. Ranges, 200, 500 and 600 yards. Two sighting shots and 7 to count at each distance. Entrance fee, \$1.50.

Entries should be sent to the Hon. Secy. not later than August 31. Prizes.—1st, Silver Cup if not less than 12 entries; 2nd Silver Cup if not less than 24 entries; 3rd Silver Cup if not less than 36 entries.

Additional prizes of silver spoons will be awarded to highest scores in each unit entering not less than four competitors.

INTERPORT POLO. H.K. Playing Shanghai This Week.

The Hongkong Interport Polo team (J. W. Hope, J. Keewick, Capt. Williams and Capt. Villar) and their 15 ponies and mares arrived in Shanghai during the week-end by the Shanghai during the week-end by the Shanghai.

They will play Shanghai polo in the Keewick Cup next Saturday.

HAPPY VALLEY GOLF. L. Goldman Enters Final Of Summer Tourney.

In the semi-final of the Happy Valley Summer Tournament Singles, run by the Royal Hongkong Golf Club, L. Goldman defeated A. E. Clark by five and three yesterday morning.

In the first round of the second Summer Tournament singles, T. W. Amery beat H. T. Brooks by one and two.

The Club Championship is the only one of the eight events yet undecided. E. C. Fincher, the holder, will meet A. E. P. Guest, whom he beat in last year's Final, in the Semi-Final this week, and the winner will meet W. C. Hung in the Final.

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## C.C.C. TRIUMPH

## BOWLING GREEN IN THE TOILS

## CHAMPIONSHIP PROBLEM

Keener and Keener is becoming the competition for supremacy in the first division of the lawn bowls league, and with the defeat of the Bowling Green by the Craigenower on Saturday the issue remains exceedingly open.

Civil Service, by beating the Police, retain a lively interest in the destination of the championship, enjoying an identical record as the Craigenower and therefore in a position to offer the Bowling Green a strong challenge.

Taking advantage of Craigenower's absence from the green, the K.B.G.C. consolidated their position at the head of the second division by trouncing the K.C.C.

But last year's champions are in a good position, having two games in hand and being only two points in arrears.

## THE RESULTS.

## DIVISION 1.

Police	52	Civil Service	57
Kowloon Docks	74	K.C.C.	51
C.C.C.	70	K.B.G.C.	50
Talkoo	58	Recrelo	56

## DIVISION 2.

Civil Service	59	Recrelo	42
K.C.C.	46	K.B.G.C.	67
Yacht Club	49	Police	69
Electric	72	Indian R.C.	50

## LEAGUE TABLES.

## Division 1

K.B.G.C.	12	8	4	16	81	—
C.C.C.	11	7	4	14	56	—
C.S.C.C.	11	7	4	14	42	—
Police	12	7	5	14	42	—

## Division 2

Kowloon Docks	12	5	7	10	9	—
Recrelo	12	5	7	10	11	—
K.C.C.	12	4	7	8	43	—
Talkoo	12	4	8	8	121	—

## Division 1

K.B.G.C.	12	9	3	18	142	—
C.C.C.	10	8	2	16	154	—
C.S.C.C.	11	8	3	16	80	—
Recrelo	12	6	6	12	67	—

## Division 2

Police R.C.	12	6	6	12	68	—
Electric	11	5	6	10	25	—
Yacht Club	11	4	7	8	55	—
K.C.C.	11	4	7	8	104	—
Indian R.C.	12	1	11	2	103	—

## LOCAL BILLIARDS. The S.W.B. Championship Semi-Finals.

The Semi-Finals of the South Wales Borderers' Battalion Individual Billiards Championship were decided at the Soldiers' Club last week when Pte. Rees surprisingly defeated Pte. Williams by 41 points and L/Cpl. Ellis, who chalked up 77, the highest break in the Garrison League, succeeded in eliminating Pte. Walters, in spite of a very good break of 43 by the latter.

Ellis will meet Rees in the Final the date of which has not yet been definitely arranged.

Scores:—

Rees	300	Walters	328
Ellis	300	Williams	250

## FRIENDLY MATCH.

The Lincolns beat St. Patrick's Club by 60 points in their friendly encounter on the latter's tables on Friday.

Pte. Abbott won by 67 points while L/Cpl. Herriott won by 43 points.

Detailed scores:—

St. Patrick's	61	Green	46
Davies	82	Ash	46
Jordan	19	Herriott	62
Williams	12	Abbott	79
Sandy	50	Atkinson	25
Turnbull	27	Short	59
Collins	257		317

## K.C.C. TITLE.

M. N. Rakusen (—175) will meet L. King (—120) in the Final Round of the Kowloon Cricket Club Handicap "A" Billiards tournament at the K.C.C. next Friday, commencing at 8.30 p.m.

Rakusen beat G. Wigg (—125) by 500 to 407, and King eliminated the favourite when he beat H. Kow (acc.) by 500 to 478.

K. C.C. to Meet Lincolns. The Kowloon Cricket Club are playing the Lincolns in a friendly billiards encounter on eight men a-side and 200 up at the K.C.C. on August 15.

Represented by M. N. Rakusen, R. P. Phillips, A. Hyde Lay, C. Wigg, H. Kow, L. Jack, A. Jones and W. Goldenberg the K.C.C. should prove a good match for the Lincolns, which will probably include L. B. James, L/Cpl. Herriott, Sgt. Green, L/Cpl. Maltby, and Pte. Green.

## DAVIS CUP TIE

## STEFANI WINS VITAL GAME

## FIVE SET MATCH WITH HEBDA

## POLE MAKES A BIG EFFORT

Warsaw, Aug. 5. Italy advanced into the third round of the qualifying competition for the 1934 Davis Cup to-day, beating Poland by three matches to two.

Baron G. de Stefani settled the issue in the first match of the third day beating Hebda after a five-sets encounter.

This gave Italy the required three rubbers, the doubles having previously been won.

In the last match of the series, Sertorio proved no match for Tloczynski who won after conceding the second set.

STEFANI GIVEN FRIGHT. Hebda gave Stefani a real fright. The Italian won the first two sets and looked a certain winner in either three straight or four sets. But the Pole played dazzling tennis to win the third set to love and the fourth at the tenth game.

The results, supplied by Reuter, were: Hebda (Poland) beat Sertorio (Italy) 7-5, 6-0, 6-0.

Stefani (Italy) beat Tloczynski (Poland) 6-3, 6-2, 2-6, 7-5.

Sertorio and Taroni (Italy) beat Hebda and Wittman (Poland) 6-2, 6-2, 3-6, 2-6, 6-4.

Stefani (Italy) beat Hebda (Poland) 6-2, 6-3, 0-6, 4-6, 6-2.

Tloczynski (Poland) beat Sertorio (Italy) 6-2, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4.

MANY DOUBLE HEADERS

GIANTS BREAK EVEN

SENATORS LOSE

New York, Aug. 6. Doubles headers were the order of the day in the Major Baseball leagues.

New York Giants broke even with Brooklyn, as did Boston and Philadelphia.

Cincinnati scored two wins over St. Louis, and in the American League, Detroit were equally as successful against Cleveland.

Washington Senators received a set-back, when they were beaten by Philadelphia.

Boston, Pittsburgh and St. Louis in the National League were all blanked out.

Scores as supplied by Reuter were: NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn	6	10	1
New York	3	8	3







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## CHARHAR PEACE

### ALL QUARTERS REPORT HOSTILITIES' END

### FENG HANDING OVER

Shanghai, Aug. 6.  
Settlement of the dispute between the Charhar leader, Feng Yu-hsiang, and the Nanking Government, possibly within a week is predicted by Li Lieh-chun, prominent member of the Central Executive Council, and who has recently delivered the terms of a peace offer from the Charhar General.

Li Lieh-chun is at present in Shanghai, acting as mediator between Feng and General Chiang Kai-shek. He has telegraphed certain proposals to General Chiang Kai-shek and Mr. Wang Ching-wei as the basis for a solution of the difficulties, and it is believed that the acceptance of these plans is assured.

It is understood that General Huang Fu, Pacification Commissioner for the Northern Provinces, is proceeding to Shanghai at the conclusion of his visit to Kuling in order to confer with Li Lieh-chun, who is then expected to go to Kalgan where he will probably discuss the situation with General Chiang Kai-shek. —*Reuter*.

### FENG ACCEPTS TERMS.

To Hand Military Affairs  
To Nanking.

### IN PENITENT MOOD.

Nanking, Aug. 6.  
Giving instances of two of his recent telegrams, Chinese reports state that General Feng Yu-hsiang is now really "penitent" and ready to accept the Government's solution to the Charhar issue.

It is stated that General Feng wired Mr. Li Lieh-chun, the Central Executive Council member on August 1, expressing his willingness to accept the four conditions laid down by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek and Mr. Wang Ching-wei for the settlement of the Charhar trouble, and has asked Mr. Li Lieh-chun to convey his intentions to the Government.

In another telegram to Mr. Pang Ping-hsun, dated August 8, General Feng Yu-hsiang declares that he is immediately winding up his military affairs in Charhar preparatory to handing over the military and political functions to the Government authorities. —*Reuter*.

### NEGOTIATION PLANS.

General Sung Chen-Yuan Goes  
To Shacheng.

Peking, Aug. 5.  
General Sung Chen-yuan accompanied by General Chiang Po-cheng, Marshal Chiang Kai-shek's Peking representative, and General Teng Chieh-hsi, General Feng Yu-hsiang's delegate, departed by special train at 8 o'clock this morning for Shacheng for a final effort to negotiate a peaceful settlement with General Yu-hsiang.

According to an official communiqué, General Sung is empowered to arrange a personal meeting with General Feng and to negotiate on the basis of the four principles of General Chiang Wang and the three proposals of General Ho Ying-ching. —*Reuter*.

### CONFERENCE BEGINS.

Government Envoys Meet  
Feng's Delegates.

Peking, Aug. 6.  
General Sung Chen-yuan, accompanied by General Chiang Po-cheng, arrived in Shacheng yesterday morning, and met the delegates sent by General Feng Yu-hsiang.

The conference proceeded satisfactorily and it is reported that an agreement has already been reached, whereby General Feng has expressed his willingness to hand over to the Central Government the affairs of Charhar.

Under the agreement, it is reported, he will leave Charhar and

## LONDON HEAT WAVE

### HOTTEST HOLIDAY FOR 22 YEARS

London, Aug. 5.  
For the third successive day, yesterday's record of the temperature in London reached 83 degrees, while 85 degrees were registered at Croydon and 84 at Malvern.

The weather forecast anticipates the hottest August Bank-holiday week-end since 1911, and fine weather throughout British Isles. It is believed that the week-end traffic will be heavier than any previous bank-holiday.

The London and Midland Scottish Railway will run 500 extra trains, while the Southern Railway will run 222. The Great Western Railway announces record bookings and passenger service on all lines.

Over 60 air liners, fully laden, crossed the Channel between London and the Continent yesterday. A wide programme of sporting events has been arranged at all centres.

Meanwhile the influx of foreign visitors is 50 per cent. higher than at any time in the last 5 years, including numbers from Austria, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, France, Germany and Poland.

The Minister of Transport issued a special appeal yesterday to all users of the roads to exercise special care during the holiday period, when the roads are thronged, in view of the large number of accidents that have occurred in the first six months of 1933. —*British Wireless*.

proceed to Changpei, 40 miles northeast of Kalgan to indicate his "retirement".

The conference is resuming to-day. —*Reuter*.

### MESSAGE FROM NORTH.

Feng Agrees To Loose  
Reins of Power.

### SHACHENG DECISION.

Peking, Aug. 6.  
A peaceful settlement of the Charhar situation now seems definitely assured.

In a brief telegram despatched from Kalgan this afternoon, General Feng Yu-hsiang says that since Sung Chen-yuan returned to Charhar yesterday he is handing over all military and political affairs to Sung, as from to-day.

Hsiung Ping, who accompanied Sung to Shacheng yesterday, returned this afternoon and when interviewed by the Chinese press, confirmed the successful conclusion of the Shacheng conference.

He added that Sung proceeded at once to Kalgan to take over the Charhar provincial government, pending which transfer of authority Tung Ling-ke will remain in charge of the situation, in accordance with one of the three proposals of Ho Ying-ching. —*Reuter*.

### Foreign Viewpoint.

Peking, Aug. 6.  
Foreign observers, interviewed here this evening, declare that Feng Yu-hsiang's telegram represents a definite settlement of the extremely complex problem in Charhar. The danger of armed conflict through a Japanese advance or unremitting pressure of Nanking troops from the south, has never been minimised and it was feared that action of some sort was bound to follow unless Feng modified his attitude.

To-day's settlement is the outcome of weeks of tortuous negotiations, which have convinced Feng at last of the impossibility of his walking the tight rope any longer.

There is a general feeling now that North China can look forward to a period of peace, after the trials of the recent invasion and the troubled aftermath. —*Our Own Correspondent*.

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### LOAN TO AUSTRIA.

### GUARANTEED BY FOUR OF THE POWERS

London, Aug. 5.  
The French Treasury has announced that the French portion of the loan of 300,000,000 Schillings to Austria which was guaranteed by Great Britain, France, Italy, and Belgium, amounting to 300,000,000 francs or £3,550,000, will be issued next week.

It is expected that the London portion of the loan, totalling £1,000,000 and guaranteed by the British Government, will be issued shortly after.

The Belgian Parliament passed a Bill on August 2, approving the Belgian share of the loan at 25,000,000 Belgian francs. —*British Wireless*.

### NAZI GRAND COUNCIL.

### TO ENSURE PERMANENCY OF PRESENT REGIME

Munich, Aug. 6.  
A scheme to institute a sort of Nazi Grand Council in order to ensure the permanency of the present regime was outlined by Herr Hitler at a conference of Nazi leaders at Obersalzberg to-day.

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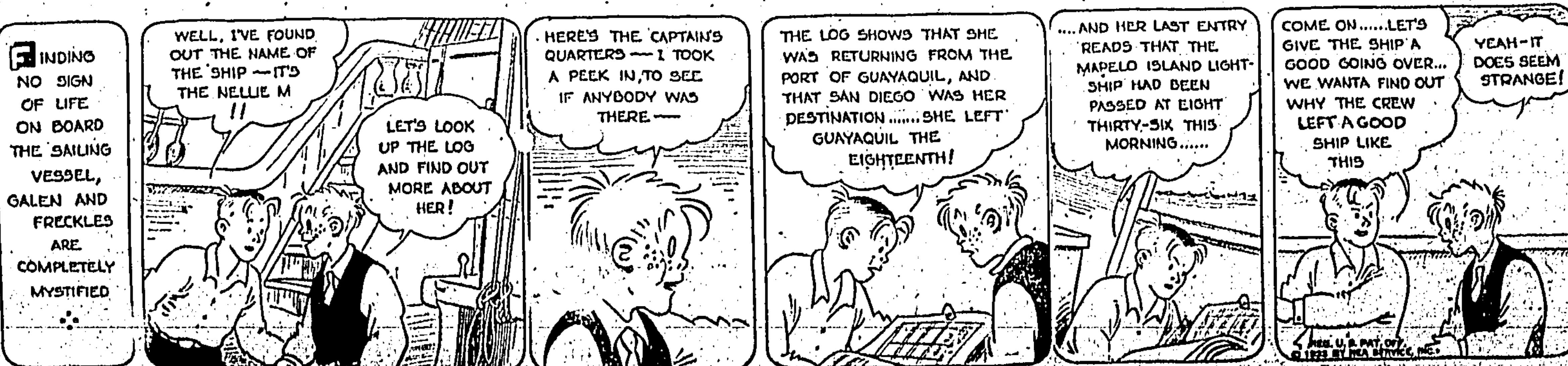
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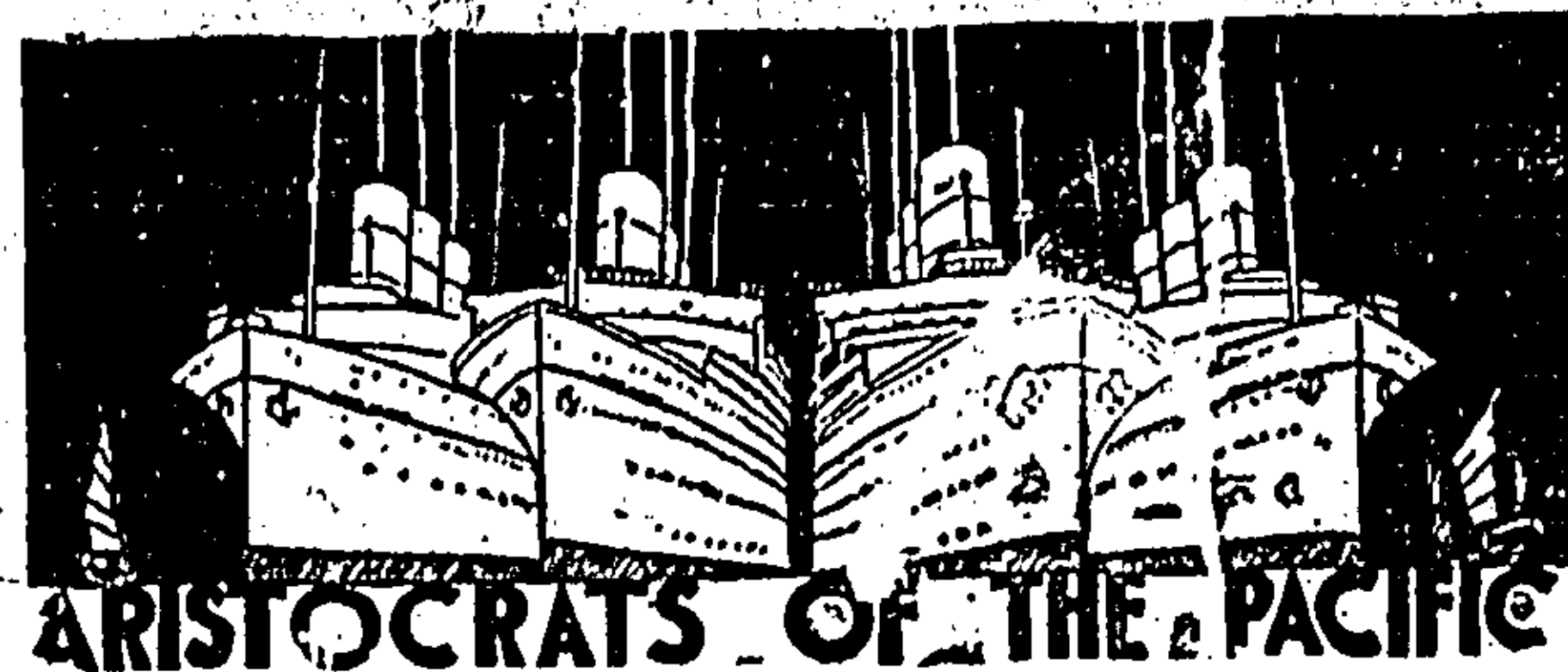
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## CINEMA SCREENINGS

### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

William Gargan, Joan Crawford's new leading man, was considered too handsome for his first Hollywood picture assignment, so the United Artists studio manufactured a scar on his face and used the clippers on his well-groomed auburn hair to put him in character for his role as the Marine sergeant in "Rain", now showing at the King's Theatre.

Bill, as his cronies know him, had to buy his way out of "The Animal Kingdom", in which he was paired with Leslie Howard. He had been given a test by Lewis Milestone, who had just become affiliated with Joseph M. Schenck, but when the United Artists unit was ready, the producers of "The Animal Kingdom" were loath to let him go, their reason being that he was nearly the whole show. But Bill bought his release.

Working with Miss Crawford and Mr. Gargan in "Rain" is Walter Huston, Guy Kibbee, Matt Moore, Beulah Bondi, Ben Hendricks, Walter Catlett, Kendall Lee, Frederic Howard and others.

### "Reunion in Vienna"

Daring, tender, smart and effervescent, last season's stage hit has become, under the sparkling direction of Sidney Franklin, a totally captivating screen comedy. Perfectly suited to the talent of John Barrymore, it offers him a rich role which he plays with infectious relish.

Equally mounted, brilliantly acted, invested with wit, charm and pathos, "Reunion in Vienna" is a picture you mustn't miss.

The story describes Frau Elena Krug, once mistress of Archduke Rudolf, now contented wife of the psychiatrist who had cured her of the despair which followed the fall of the Hapsburgs. A reunion of the decayed royalists in Vienna brings her once more face to face with the dashing, half-mad Rudolf, over whom she still feels overwhelmingly sentimental. It is her scientific husband who has recommended her step into this situation, hoping to slay the ghost of the past which had haunted their married life.

What happens is inevitable. The details of events are cleverly left to the imagination of the audience. But they are suggested with sly humour, tender compassion and fine delicacy. John Barrymore, who plays Rudolf, a Hapsburg boyishly boastful of his heritage of honour and epilepsy, never has had a more roundly theatrical role, bizzarre, dashing and lovable. Charming Diana Wynyard plays Elena with rather more restraint than the role suggests. But she is beautiful and appealing. Frank Morgan, May Holson and Henry Travers are the outstanding members of a uniformly fine cast.

"Reunion in Vienna" is an adult picture, a gem among the usual lustreless run-of-the-studio movies.

### "The Warrior's Husband"

"The Warrior's Husband", Jesse L. Lasky's second independent production under the Fox Film banner, comes to the King's Theatre very shortly. In this film of a period when women were the aggressors and men the domestic decorations, Lasky is said to have produced one of the most unusual and most hilarious pieces of entertainment.

Elissa Landi has the stellar role, with a supporting cast that is headed by Marjorie Rannear and Ernest Truex. Others in the cast are David Manners, Helen Ware, Maude Ebrune, Claudia Cullen, Ferdinand Gottschalk, John Sheehan, Lionel Belmore and Helene Madison. The direction is by Walter Lang from the successful stage play by Julian Thompson and the screen adaptation by Ralph Spence and Sonya Levien.

## NORTHERN RAILWAYS.

### JAPANESE AND CHINESE TO HOLD CONFERENCE

Peking, Aug. 5.

Mr. Ku Meng-yu arrived here this morning. Interviewed by the press, he denied he had come here on a political mission on behalf of Mr. Wang Ching-wei. He had only come, he said, to inspect the North China railways, including the Sui-yuan line.

Questioned regarding the Chahar situation, Mr. Ku emphasised that the Government had no intention to settle the matter by force. He added he expected that through traffic between Peking and Shanhaikuan would materialise shortly. A conference with this aim in view is meeting at Shanghai to-day.

Mr. Ku denied that Manchukuo delegates were participating in

## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

As I have often stated, small cards can play just as important a part in successful contract as aces and kings.

In bidding, make sure that your hands fit—don't be guided simply by the number of high card tricks you hold. In the play of the hand, small cards can play an all-important part. Don't merely discard at random—do so in a manner that will convey a definite message to your partner regarding your holding.

I do not mean that you should throw the cards down emphatically, or discard them without interest. What I mean is that you discard them intelligently—to echo and show out if you can ruff a card—or to discard so as to show the number you hold of a suit. Following is an example of high cards and low cards in both bidding and play.

### The Bidding

South and West passed. While I would not criticize North if he opened with a bid of one spade,

♠A-K-Q-6	♠10-8-2
♥9-6	♥A
♦9-7-6-3	♦A-K-J-5-2
♣10-9-6	♣A-Q-J-5

It is a good hand to pass. East will open the bidding with one diamond.

South can make a negative double. West will pass, showing weakness. North will respond with one spade.

East shows his second suit by bidding two clubs. South bids two hearts. West and North pass and East bids three diamonds. South bids three hearts.

Again West and North pass and East, counting in the 50 point bonus for a partial score in duplicate, goes to four diamonds. South, endeavouring to keep his opponents from making this partial score, bids four hearts, which of course East doubles.

### The Play

West opens the queen of diamonds and continues with the ten, East overtaking with the jack. Before leading a third diamond, East cashed his ace of clubs fearing the solid spade suit in dummy.

West holds the three and deuce of clubs—he must play the three of clubs to start an echo for his partner.

East still has control of the trump suit. If he were now to swing the queen of clubs, the declarer would lose only a heart trick and would go down only one trick. If East swings the king of diamonds, South will trump with the ten of hearts, and West can discard his deuce of clubs, showing out of that suit.

The declarer can discard two clubs on dummy's king and queen of spades, but when he leads a heart, East is in and returns a club which West trumps, and the contract is thus defeated two tricks.

the conference. There are only Japanese and Chinese delegates, he affirmed.

Mr. Ku, who expects to remain here a week, called on General Ho Ying-ching, the War Minister, this afternoon.—*Reuter*.

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She took it home and put it on a shelf in her bedroom. There was nothing else near it and plenty of room on the shelf, but it constantly fell down.

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Misfortune followed misfortune. The mummy eventually found its way to Professor Elliott-Smith, the anatomical specialist at London University College.

After examining it and taking X-ray photographs of it, he discovered that it was the mummified body of a coloured girl child which had been embalmed. But even he has not yet been able to suggest how it came to be in a north country inland cave—nor why it has green glass eyes fixed on its face.—Reuter.

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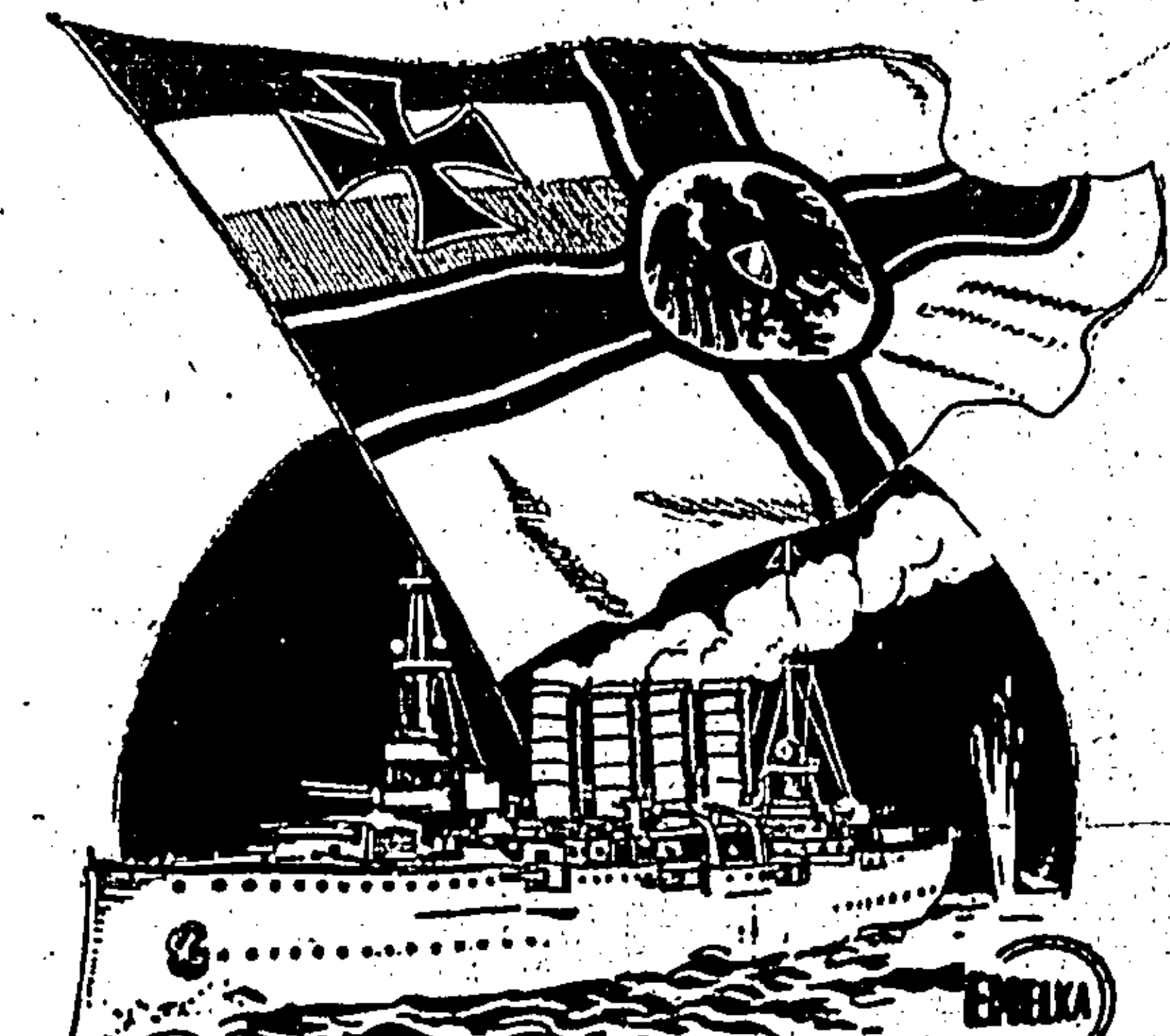
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